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Local Matters.

A Big Sunday.

Last Sunday was the banner day of the year in Newport thus far this season. There were many excursionists who came by the regular boats just to enjoy the pleasures of a day at the seashore and in addition to these there were the many Portuguese who came here for the celebration by Vasco Di Gama Society. Altogether it made a big day for Newport and the carriages, street cars and omnibuses did a rush-

ing business all day.

The steamers of the Providence, Fall River and Newport Steamboat company brought down large crowds from Providence and Fall River and in the afternoon there were two large Sound steamers in at Long wharf with large parties on board. The cars of the Island road were crowded all day with the thousands of people golug and coming. At the beach there was an immense crush and all the bath houses were filled and there was a long waiting list. The Ocean Drive was thronged with busses and carriages all day and some peculiar looking vehicles were pressed into service to convey the sightseers about the points of interest. At night the excursionists returned to their homes tired but happy after their day's outing.

The celebration by the Vasco Di Gama Society brought a large number of Portuguese from out of the city here. The local Portuguese societies marched to the station headed by a band of music to meet the visitors and escorted them to St. Joseph's church where special services were conducted. After the services dinner was served in Odd Fellows Hall. In the afternoon there was a street parade in which the local organizations and the visiting societies took part. After the parade there were exercises at Odd Fellows Hall and refreshments were served.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Presbyterian Church is making preparations for a lawn party and supper at the church parlors on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. This is a worthy object and should receive the liberal patronage of the people.

Mr. Josiah F. Bliss, who for many Years was keeper at the Newport County Jail, celebrated the eighty-first anniver saty of his birth on Thursday, at the tesidence of his daughter, Mrs. Joseph M. Underwood in Middletown. He was the recipient of many beautiful gifts, and there was a large gathering of relatives to participate in the eventful

The Training ship Monongahela failed for a cruise yesterday.

The Jennis Journament.

The National Lawn Tennis Tournsment began on Tuesday at the Casluo courts and has continued through the the week. The attendance has been fairly good and the weather has been excellent except on Thursday. In the singles there has been little of an exciting nature, but some good matches were seen in the doubles. The weed-ing-out process in singles has taken time and the really interesting matches will not take place until the closing rounds during the first of next week.

On Tuesday occurred the match lu doubles between the pairs representing the East and the West. The west ern pair, Kreigh Collins and L. H. Waldner, were matched against Hol comb Ward and L. E. Ware, and there was a sharp contest for supremacy. Victory finally perched on the Western bauner and Collins and Waidner won the right to challenge for the cup in doubles. The Westerners won the match by three straight sets, 6-3, 6-4,

On Wednesday the principal match waz in doubles, between the English pair, R. F. and H. L. Dougherty, winners of the last year's championship in doubles, and Collins and Waldner, who defeated the Eastern pair on the previous day. Interest in the match ran high but it was felt that the Luglishmen had the better chance of wiuning. This surmise proved to be correct as the champions main tained their title by taking three straight sets, 7-5, 6-3, 6-3.

On Thursday and Friday there was no championship match on, the time being devoted to the continuance of the match in singles, with few sets of any great interest. Next week will come the finals in the singles, followed by the challenge for the championship cup. It is felt that one of the Doughertys will have an excellent chance to win the coveted title of national chain-

Methodist Clambake.

Next week will occur an event that is annually leagerly looked forward to by many residents of Newport and the island towns. Lovers of the succulent bivalve, the Rhode Island clain, are always certain of satisfying the inner man on the occasion of the annual clambake by the Middlelown Methodist Episcopal Church and the bakes are always largely attended. The bake will take place at Southwick's Grove on Wednesday next, August 26, and the bake will be opened at one o'clock. These clambakes by this church are the best ones served on the Island.

Tea, coffee, ice cream, cake, etc., will be for sale on the grounds, and the Ladies' Aid Society of the church will have fancy articles for sale at the same time. The electric cafe run within a short distance of the grove and carriages will meet the cars at Forcet

State Grange Field Day

The annual field day of the State Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, was held at Boyden Heights on Tuesday and was largely attended. Among the number present from the granges in Newport County Ponions were A. F. Coggeshall of Portsmouth, secretary of the State Grange, Isaac Lincoln Sherman of Portsmouth, chairman of the executive committee, and a large number of 'the members of the subordinate granges. State Lecturer Charles H. Rice of the Massachusetts Grange delivered an address on the benefits of the organization and President Butterfield of the Rhode Island College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, spoke upon the educational features of the grange Social features were furnished in the form of music, dancing and recitations.

On a War Footing.

Orders have been received at the forts in the Narragansett district to assume a war basis in preparation for the summer maneuvers. The mobilization of the artillery forces goes into effect on August 22 and will last until the 29th. During that period the troops will not be permitted to leave the garrison and will sleep by their gaus. There will be drills daily and target practice with all theguns of the forts.

The forts in the Narragansett district include Fort Adams, at Newport, Wetherill at Jamestown, Greble at Dutch Island, and Rodman at New Bedford. At all these forts preparations are being made for the drills next

Mrs. John Nicholas Brown is contemplating erecting a new residence on the Dickey estate, which she recently purchased. The present house is not as modern as Mrs. Brown would like, and if she decides to build her new home will probably be ready for her next year.

The Providence police enjoyed an excursion to this city Monday.

A Change in Motors.

Some time before the first of the year when the new power plant of the Old Colony Street Railway Company in this city is in complete working order, the many power motors in use in the various private establishments in this city will have to be taken out and new ones substituted, in order that the new form of current from the station may be used. When everything is completed the station will furnish only the alternating current and the motors at present in use will not take this current. The company proposes to furnish new motors, of modern and approved deaign, and will take in exchange the old motors allowing therefor a portion of the cost of the new ones. The new motors, will have neither brushes nor rhecetate and are said to be the latest and most successful product of the manufacturer. A more powerful and reliable current will be supplied and the use of electricity for power is expected to increase when the new current la in use. Just what proposition will be made to present users of electric power who will be compelled to change their motors has not yet been announced but the company promises that it will be a very favorable one.

Redwood Library.

The 173d annual meeting of the stockholders of the Redwood Library and Athenseum was held recently, The library contains 45,710 volumes, 900 of which were added during the past year. Among the donors were Major Theodore K. Gibbs, Mr. T. M. Davis and Miss Martha C. Codman,

The legacy of \$5,000, donated by the late John Nicholas Brown, was rereived.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Arthur B. Emmons. Vice President—Hon. Daniel B.

Fearing.
Secretary—Hamilton B. Tompkins.
Treasurer—Thomas P. Peekham.
Directors—William P. Buffum Theodore K. Gibbs, George Gordon King, Resr Admiral Stephen B. Luce, U. S. N., Angus McLeod, William P. Shef-field, William P. Sheffield, Jr., Frederick Tompkins, J. Fred Pierson, W. Watts Tompkine, J. Fred Pierson, W. W. Sherman and G. Norman Weaver.

The Broadway Pavement.

If the new Broadway pavement is receiving the treatment that the builders would prescribe for it it is not so much of a success as Newporters had been led to believe. Unless it is aprinkled with considerable frequency it is more dusty than a macadam road and when much water is put on it becomes a slimy mass annoying to bicyclists and others. It would seem as if the proper way to keep this pavement lu condition would be to have it constantly, swept the same as is done to the Thames street pavement, but it is possible that the condition of the finances controlled by the committee on streets and highways will not permit of the assigning of this duty to any regular body of men. At any rate the present condition of the street is not satisfactory to all who have occasion to use it.

A Complete Surprise.

Driver Charles E. Eldridge of the hook and ladder truck was presented Tuesday evening with a gold watch and chain by his Red Men friends. The presentation speech was made by Deputy Sheriff Gifford, Mr. Eldridge was taken completely by surprise. He has been chief of the warrior's degree for a long time and it was in recognition of the faithful discharge of his duties that he was presented with the gift.

Secretary of the Navy Moody, Rear Admiral Taylor and other high officials of the navy department have been in Newport this week looking over the usval stations in this vicinity and considering further development of the unvy in this section. The party arrived on the despatch boat Dolphin and sailed for New York on Wednesday to attend the yacht races. The visit of Secretary Moody to this port may mean much to the city, as it is known that he has in contemplation very important extensions to the navai station here.

This afternoon the South Ends of this city and the Eagles of Woonsacket will meet at the South End grounds in this city. A good game of baseball fa expected as the two teams are quite evenly metched.

Macco Division, K. of P., held their field day at Rocky Point Wednesday. On their return in the evening they made a short street parade, which was followed by a dance in Mason-

Misses Jennie and Hannah Wetherell of this city and Misses Bertha and Lilly Gay of Brockton, Mass., are visiting their nucle, Mr. Robert Wetherell, in Middletown.

During the summer months contributions have been received by the Newport Police Relief Association amounting to \$1,250.

Glanislar's Swim.

"Dank!" Olenister, "the well known swimmer who once swam from Natragausett Pier to Newport, and who has performed other feats in this vicinity, claims to have swum the dangerous whirlpool rapids at Ningara Falls, where the daring English swimmer. Capt. Webb, lost his life some years ago. If Glentster has actually performed this feat he has accomplished something never before done by man, but the newspapermen at the scene appear to be more than a little skentical about the story. There is no doubt but that Glenister Intended to try it, for on Sunday last when he appeared at the bridge ready to jump in he was interfered with by the police and was ordered out of the city. He claims that he again returned and shortly after daybreak, in the presence of a few friends, plunged into the 'rapids and reached the other side of the whirlpool where he was discovered by his friends in a senseless condition and was pulled out and restored to consciousness. Unfortunately, the story lacks corroboration by anyone except the intimate friends of the awimmer. According to the reports sent out from the Falls Glenister expressed much indignation when an interviewer appeared to question the veracity of the story.

There is no doubt that Glenister is a powerful swimmer and he is also a good talker, ready at any time to tell sixut what feats he has performed and what he cau do. Still even those who know him well are asking for further corroboration of the story of his perilous trip through the rapids of Niagara.

Newport Trust Company.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Newport Trust Company, held Tuesday, Aug. 18, the following were elected directors for the year eneumg: George F. Baker, Edward J. Berwind, Sainuel P. Colt, George G. De Witt, Henry F. Eldridge, Elbridge T. Gerry George G. Haven, Jeremiah W. Horton, Thomas A. Lawton, Louis Casa Ledyard, E. Rollins Morse, Levi P. Morton, George H. Norman, Thomas P. Peckham, Angus McLeod, Charles L. F. Robinson, William G. Roelker, Thomas F. Ryan, Jacob H. Schiff, James Stillman, Henry A. C. Taylor, Frederick Tompkins, Hamilton McK. Twombly, George Peabody Wetmore, Harry Payne Whitney, James T. Woodward.

The Sun says that an investigation is now going on in all the branches of the government service to see whether there is any discrimination on account of membership in any labor union. The investigation is by order of President Romevelt:

The Knights of Columbus made an excursion to Rocky Point Tuesday night on steamer Warwick. A large number went, despite the fact that the evening was not as pleasant as might have been wished for. Cards are out, for the marriage of

Sarah Catharine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Tanner, to Mr. Harold Mason Sherman, which will take lace Wednesday evening. 2, at 38 Rhode Island avenue.

The survey illumination at Tiverton took place on Friday evening. A very large crowd went from Newport to witness the illumination and were amply repaid for the trip.

Tomorrow will be a great day for the employes of the Torpedo Station when their annual outing will be held at Crescent Park. A big time is ex-

The Training Station racing crew nas challenged the Scandinavián racing crew, and as soon as the latter are In good condition the race will take place.

Abramo Brogi, one of the oldest Italian citizens of this city, died at the Newport Hospital Wednesday, where he had been receiving treatment. Mrs. J. J. Mason is entertaining Miss

Louise McAllister, daughter of the late Ward McAllister, at her residence on Rhode Island avenue, Mr. Henry Hudson and Mr. Charles

port, but now of Boston, are visiting their relatives in this city. Mrs. Charlotte Chace, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Jessie Chace, is

Washburne, formerly residents of New-

spending a vacation with Mrs. John Blair, at her residence on Poplar street. The harbor presented a described ap-

permance on Thursday, all the yachts having left to attend the yacht races in New York: Miss Fannie Gladding of this city is

enjoying a week's vacation and is spending a few days with relatives in Providence.

Mr. Theodore Reed, formerly of this city, but now of Boston, has been spending a few days with friends in this city.

Diamonds Lost.

Valuable diamonds have been lost in this city recently and liberal rewards have been offered by the losers for their recovery. As yet, the finders have failed to be heard from. Mrs. J. Stewart Barney offers a reward for the return of a diamond horseshoe and Mrs. Henry Yardley for the return of a ring set with 13 small diamonds.

The chief of police has Issued the following: \$100 Reward,-Lost, at Stone Bridge house, Tiverton, R. L., night of Aug. 12, lady's gold ring, with oval supphire, about three karats, and a diamond on each side, about one karat each, Tiffany setting; maker's name on inside. The above reward will be paid upon returning to B. H. Richards, chief of police, Newport, R. I.

Street Railway Matters.

There are further indications of a harmonious agreement between the companies owning tracks on Broadway. On Wednesday the private car Lawrence was in use to convey some of the officials of the Old Colony Street, Rallway Company about this division of their lines and the property was thoroughly inspected. The officials of the new road are also active but neither elde is saying much for publication. Mr. Summer Wallace, a prominent banker of Rochester, N. H., and a director of the Newport and Providence road has been in the city this week. The indications are that at the next meeting of the city council the proper steps looking to an end of the trouble will be taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbill arrived in Newport Esturday of last week. They came to Wickford by train and there they were met by their steam yacht. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Vanderhilt there were on board, Mrs. Ogden Goelet and her daughter, Miss May Goelet, the latter having come from Europe with Mrs. Vanderbilt, and the Duke of Roxburghe, of England. Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt were driven to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Wilson, on Narragausett avenue, whose guests they will be for some time,

Mr. Henry C. Arnold of Providence called on Mr. B. W. Pearce last week at his home on Farewell street, and the two gentlemen enjoyed several hours talking over old times, Mr. Arnold was an apprentice of Mr. Pearce's 60 years ago, when he conducted a printing establishment in Pawtucket. Mr. Arnold is at the old Men's Home in Providence. He greatly enjoyed his trip to Newport.

The training ship Monongahela had a narrow escape on Wednesday. She sailed from here in the early morning on her outward cruise. When off the Kettlehotton, rock, she started to drift shoreward. It was necessary to throw an anchor overboard to prevent the ship from going on the rocks.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt have taken possession of their house at Sandy Point Farm. The house is far from being finished, but work has been suspended until fall, in order that Mr. and Mrs. Van joy the pleasures of their country home during the remainder of the present summer season.

Steamer Bay Queen of the Providence, Fall River and Newport Steamboat Company was laid up Monday afternoon, caused by an accident to her engine off Crescent Park. The steamer anchored and the Squantum took off the passengers.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hunter and several of the summer colony are taking a deep interest in the coming fair of the Newport County Agricultural Society, and will add materially to the success of the fair in September.

The extra seats that have been placed In some of the parks about the city have been very much appreciated by those who visit the parks frequently for a quiet rest and to enjoy a little recrea-

Mr. Melville Hammett has been engaged for the coming season by Mesers. Sam S. Shubert and Nixon and Zimmerman to take charge of the musical comedy, "The Girl From Dixie,"

The Misses Clara and Eleanor O'Neill of New Bedford, who have been spending a few days with Miss Charlotte Hilton, are now the guests of Miss Edith S. Hodgeon.

Miss Gertrude Evelyn Payne, daughter of Mrs. Amelia Payne, will be married to Mr. George H. Perry on Wednesday, September 9th, at Kay Chapel.

Mr. Joseph C. Coggeshall formerly of this city, but now of Brooklyn, has been in Newport for a short stay. He was accompanied by his daughters.

Rishop-Condjutor McVickar preached before a large andrence. Sunday moruing at Trinity Church.

The glass in the big windows of the Bee Hive was set the past week.

Wedding Bells:

Mayer-Stone

A quiet, but exceedingly pretty wedding took place at high noon Wednesday at the Zabrinkle Memorial Church of St. John the Evangelist, the contracting parties being Miss Edith Vickers Mayer, eldest daughter of Mrs. Joseph Mayer, and Mr. Harry Frazer Stone, of Tanmon, Mass. Rev. Charles F. Beattle officiated.

The hilds entered the church, resting on the arm of her uncle, Mr. Henry Vickers, who gave her away. She was becomingly gowned in white, wearing a white tuile veil. Her bouquet was of white roses. She was attended by her two sisters, the Misses Mabel and Florence Mayer, who also wore pretty dresses of white and bouquets of white. The duties of best man were performed by Mr. Harry Vickers and the ushers were Mesers. J. D. Dimond and W. T. Bowler.

A quiet reception followed at the home of the bride's mother, in the Mayer block, on Spring street, to which only relative and very intimate friends were invited.

Many beautiful gifts were sent to the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Stone left in the afternoon on the 3 o'clock train and were given a rousing send-off. They will reside at East Mansfield, Mass.

Middletown.

At the Court of Probate held on Monday afternoon the following estates were acted upon. Estate of Benjamin Howland. The

Estate of Benjamin Howland. The first and final account of Julia M. Howland, Executitx, was examined, verified and passed for record.

Estate of James C. Heath and others, Jabez W. Wilmarth was appointed Administrator de bonis non, with will annexed and required to give bond in the sum of \$200,00 with the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company as surety. Constant W. Chase, John D. Blair and Charles A. Albrowere appointed appraisers of the unadministered estate.

Estate of Noel Coggeshall. Petition

ministered estate.

Estate of Noel Coggeshall. Petition of Joseph R. and William S. Coggeshall to prove his will and grant letters testamentary on his estate to them as Executors, is granted.

Estate of Lawrence Barry. Petition of Morroa Barry to be appointed Advisory.

of Morgan Barry to be appointed Administrator is continued to the third Monday of September.

In Town Council, account of C.

Henry Congdon, Surveyor for highway repairs in Road District No. 2, and amounting to \$404.34 is allowed and ordered paid.

Accounts to the amount of \$39.50 for the relief of the poor were allowed and ordered paid.
Claims for damages done in killing

bens by dogs were presented by Ed-ward A. Brown for \$34.70, by George E. Ward for \$11.40 and by Robert Patterson for \$5.20. These claims were all allowed and the claimants granted

orders on the dog fund.

There was some informal discussion between the members of the council in regard to road making during the com-ing autumn and it was arranged to look over certain roads before the first of September, decide upon which shall be improved, prepare specifications therefor and attend to the preliminatherefor and attend to the prelimina-ries necessary before advertising for pro-

The council adjourned to meet as a board of canvassers on Tuesday, Sep-tember 8 at two p. m.

Real Estate Sales and Rentals

C. H. Wrightington has rented for Mrs. Frank Harris the lower part of her house, rear 20 Heath court, to G. Sampson, Simeon Hazard has sold for Joseph

Sinceon Hazaru has some for seespa H, Bullock and wife their house and lot or Robinson street to Joseph S. Free-born. The lot is bounded westerly by land of Kate Hunter Dunn 108.4 feet: northerly by land of A. C. Landers 50 feet; easterly by land of Gordon Oxx 111.4 feet and southerly by Robinson street 50 feet.

C. H. Wrightington has rented for

C. H. Wrightington has rented for the estate of Frank Morgan the store No. 70 West Broadway to Mr. Jeremiah Coffey.
C. H. Wrightington has rented for Mrs. Frank Harris the upper part of her house in rear of 20 Heath court, to Issae Galloway.
C. H. Wrightington has rented for the estate of Frank Morgan the store, No. 66 West Broadway, to Maurice S. Horgan, for a term of years.

Horgan, for a term of years.

A.O.D. Taylor has rented for Mrs. Julia Armstead her furnished house and grounds, on Hunter avenue near Catherine street to Chaplain Cassard, C. H. Wrightington has rented for Mrs. Mary E. Shanahau the two

tenement house with store underneath to 8 West Mariborough to Daniel

at No 8 West Mariborough to Daniel
J. Walsh for one year.
A. O'D. Taylor has reuted for Mrs.
Isabelle Hubbard Burch, her unfurnished house known as "Fern Cottage"
at 298 Broadway with land and outbuildings to Robert J. Carry.

Two Altractive Tours via Reyal Blue Line, Leaving Boston Friday, Sept. 11th.

Tour No. 1, lasting for eight days, in-cludes Reading, Pa., Gettysburg, Blue Mountains of Maryland, Washington,

Mountains of Maryland, Washington, D. C., and Philadelphia.
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> CHAPTER L THE FOOTHILLS COUNTRY.

EYOND the great prairies and in the shadow of the Rockies lie the foothills. For 900 miles the prairies spread themselves out in vast level reaches, and then begin to climb over softly rounded mounds that ever grow higher and sharper till, here and there, they break into jagged points and at last rest upon the great buses of the mighty moun-These rounded bills that join the prairies to the mountains form the footbill country. They extend for about a hundred miles only, but no other hundred miles of the great west are so full of interest and romance. The natural festures of the country combine the beauties of prairie and of mountain scenery. There are valleys so while that the further side melts into the horizon, and uplands so vast as to suggest the unbroken prairie. Nearer the mountains the valleys dip deep and ever deeper till they narrow into canyons through which mountain torrents pour their blue gray waters from claciers that lie glistening between the

white peaks for away.

Here are the great ranges on which feed herds of caltle and horses. Here are the homes of the ranchmen, in whose wild, free, lonely existence there mingles much of the tragedy and comedy, the humor and pathos, that go to make up the constact of life. Among them are to be found the most enterprising, the most during, of the peoples of the old hands. The broken, the outcast, the disappointed—these too have found their way to the ranches among the footbills. A country it is whose sunlit bills and shaded valleys reflect themselves in the lives of its people for nowhere are the contrasts of light and shade more vividly seen than in the homes of the ranchmen of the Al-

The experiences of my life have confirmed in me the orthodox conviction that Providence sends his rain upon the evil as upon the good; else I should never have set my eyes upon the foothill country, nor touched its fuscinating life, nor come to know and love the most striking man of all that group of striking men of the footbill country the dear old Pilot, as we came to call him long afterward. My first year in college closed in gloom. My guardien was in despute. From this distance of years I pity him. Then I considered him minecessarily concerned about me "a fussy old hen," as one of the boys suggested. The invitation from Jack Dale, a distant consin, to spend a summer with him on his runch in south Alberta come in the nick of time. was wild to go. My gunrdian hesitated long, but no other solution of the problem of my disposal offering, he finally agreed that I could not well get into more trouble by going than by staying. Hence it was that, in the early summer of one of the eighties. I found myself attached to a Hudson Bay com pany freight train, making our way from a little railway town in Montana toward the Canadian boundary.
Our train consisted of six wagons

and fourteen roke of oxen, with three cayuses, in charge of a French half breed and his son, a had of about six-We made slow enough progress, but every hour of the long day, from the dim, gray, misty light of dawn to the soft glow of shadowy evening, was full of new delights to me. On the evening of the third day we reached the line Stopping Place, where Jack Dale met us. I remember well how my heart best with admiration of the easy grace with whileh he sailed down upon us in the loose leinted cowboy style, swinging his own bronco and into the circle of the wagons, carelees of ropes and freight and other impediments. He dung himself off before his bronco had come to a stop and gave the little cavuse h me a grip that made me sure of my welcome. It was years since he had wercome. It was years since he had seen a nam from home, and the eaget for in his eyes told of long days and nights of lonely yearning for the old days and the old faces.

I came to understand this better atter my two years' stay among these hills that have a strange power on me days to waken in a man longings that make his heart grow sick. When supper was over we gathered about the little fire while Jack and the half breed smoked and talked. I lay on my back looking up at the pale, steady stars in the deep blue of the cloudless sky and listened in fullness of contented delight to the chat between Jack and the driver. Now and then I asked a question, but not too often. It is a listening silence that draws tales from a western man, not rexing questions. This much I had learned already from my three days' travel. So I lay and listened, and the tales of that night are mingled with the warm evening lights and the pale stars and the thoughts of home that Jack's coming seemed to

Next morning before sump we had broken camp and were ready for our fifty infle ride. There was a slight drizrie of rain and, though rain and shine were alike to him, Jack insisted that I should wear my mackintosh. This garment was quite new and had a loose cape which rustled as I moved toward my caynee. He was an ugly looking actic snums), with more white in his eye than I cared to see. Altogether, I did not draw toward him. Nor did he to me, apparently. For as I took him by the bridle he snorted and slided about with great swiftness and stood facing me with his feet planted firmly in front of him as if prepared to reject overtures of any kind soever. I tried to approach him with southing words, but he persistently backed away until we stood looking at each other at the utmost distance of his out-stretched neck and my outstretched

At this point Jack came to my assistance, got the pony by the other side of the bridle and held him fast till I got into position to mount. Taking a firm grip of the born of the Mexican suddle I threw my leg over his back. The next instant I was flying over his head. My only emotion was one of surprise, the thing was so unexpected. I had functed myself a fair rider, having had experience of furiners' colls of divers kinds, but this was something quite new. The half breed stood looking on,

mildly interested; Jack was stalling, but the boy was grinning with delight. Til take the little beast," said lack. But the grinning boy braced me up and I replied as carelessly as my making

would allow: "Oh, I guesa I'll manage blm," and once more got into position. But no sooner had I got into the saddle than the pony sprang straight up into the air and it with his back curved into a bow, his four legs gathered together and so absolutely rigid that the shock made my teeth rattle. It was my lirst experience of "bucking." Then the lit-tle brute went seriously to work to get rid of the rustling, damping thing on his back. He would back steadily for some seconds, then, with two or three forward plunges, he would stop as if shot and spring straight late the upper air, lighting with back curved and logs rigid as from. Then he would walk on his bind legs for a few steps, then throw bluself with amazing rapidity to one side and again proceed to buck with victors diligence.

"Silek to him!" yelled Jack through shouts of hughter. "You'll make him sick before long!"

I remomber thinking that unless his insides were somewhat more delicately organized than his external appearance would lead one to suppose the chances were that the little brute would be the hast to succumb to sickness. To make matters worse, a wilder jump than ordinary threw my cape up over my head, so that I was in complete darkness. And now he had me at ble mercy, and he knew no pity. He kicked and /plunged and reared and bucked, now on his front legs, now on his hind legs, often on his knees, while it in darkness could only cling to the horn of the sad-

At last, in one of the gleans of light that ponelrated the tolds of my enveloping cape, I found that the horn had slipped to his side, so the next time he came to his knees I threw myself off. I am auxieus to make this point clear. for from the expression of triumph on the face of the grinning boy and his encombune of the peny I gathered that he scored a win for the cayuse. Without pause that little brute continued for some seconds to buck and plunge even after my dismounting as if he were some piece of mechanism that must run down before it could stop.

By this time I was sick enough and



"Stick to him?" pelied Jack.

umphant shouts and laughter of the boy and the complacent smiles on the faces of Jack and the half breed stirred my wrath. I tere off the cape and, having got the saddle put right seited Jack's tiding whip, and, disregarding his remonstrances, sprang on my steed once more, and before he could make us his mind as to his line of action plied him so vigorously with the tawhide that he set off over the prairie at full gallep and in a few minutes came round to the camp quite subdued, to the boy's great disappointment and to my own great surprise. Jack was highly pleased, and even the stolid face of the half breed showed satisfaction.

"Don't think I put this up on you,"
Inck said. "It was that cape. He ain't used to such frills. But it was circus," he added, going off into a fit of laughter, "worth \$5 any day,"

"You bet!" said the half breed. "Dat's make pretty beeg fun, ch?'

It seemed to me that it depended somewhat upon the point of view, but I merely agreed with him, only too glad to be so well out of the light.

All day we followed the trail that wound along the shoulders of the round topped hills or down their long slopes late the wide, grassy valleys. Here and there the valleys were cut through conless through which ran swift. bing gray rivers, their and ley cold, while from the hilitops we caught glimpses of little lakes covered with wild fowl that shricked and squawked and splashed, careless of danger. Now and then we saw what made a black spot against the green of the prairie, and Jack told me it was a rancher's slack. How remote from the great world, and how lonely it seemed allow little black shack among those multi-

tudinans hills? I shall never forget the summer even ing when Jack and I rode into Swan Creek. I say into, but the village was almost entirely one of imagination, in that it consisted of the Stopping Place, a long log building, a story and a half high, with stables behind, and the store In which the post office was kept and over which the owner dwelt. But the situation was one of great beauty. On one side the prairie rambial down from the bins and then stretched away In towny levels into the mists purple at the horizon; on the other it clamber ed over the round, sunny tops to the

dim blue of the mountains beyond. In this world, where it is impossible

to hold things relatively, and in contreat with the long, lonely miles of our ride during the day these two houses with their outbuildings, secured a cen-ter of life. Some borses were tied to the rall that ran along to front of the Stopping Place.

"Hello!" said Jack. "I guess the Noble Seven are in town."

"And who are they?" I asked. "Oh," he replied, with a shrug, "they are the elite of Swan Creek, and, by Jove," he added, "this must be a per

night." "What does that mean?" I asked, as

we rode up toward the tie rall.
"Well," said Jack in a low tone, for some men were standing about the door, "you see, this is a probabition country, but when one of the boys feels us if he were going to have a spell of sickness he gets a permit to bring in a few gallous for medicinal purposes, and, of course, the other boys being of course, the other boys being similarly exposed, he invites them to seeist him in taking preventive measures, and," added Jack, with a selemn wlak, "it is remarkable, in a healthy country like this, how many epidemics come near catching us."

And with this mystlfying explanation we lefted the mysterious Company of the Noble Seven.

CHAPTER IL TITE COMPANY OF THE NOBLE SEVER.

8 we were dismounting the cries, "Rello, Jack!" "How do, Dale!" "Hello, old Snicke!" in the heartlest of tones made see that my cousin was a favorite with the men grouped about the door. Jack simply nodded in return, sud then presented me in due form. "My tenderfoot consin from the offete," he said, with a flourish. I was surprised at the grace of the bows made me by these roughly dressed, wild looking fellows. I might have been in a Loudon drawing room. I was put at my case at once by the khulliness of their greeting, for, upon Jack's Introduction, I

What a hardy looking lot they were Brown, spare, sinewy and hard as nails, they appeared like soldiers back from a hard tampaign. They moved and spoke with an easy, careless all of almost lary ludifference, but their eyes had a trick of looking straight at you, cool and fearless, and you telt they were fit and ready.

was admitted at once into their circle, which to a tenderfoot was usually

That night I was initiated into the Company of the Noble Seven-but of the ceremony I regret to say I retain but an indistinct memory; for they drank as they rode, hard and long and it was only Jack's care that got me safely home that night. The Company of the Noble Seven

was the dominant social force in the Swan Creek country. Indeed, it was the only social force Swan Creek know. Originally consisting of seven roung fellows of the best blood of Britain, "banded together for purposes of mutual improvement and social en-Joyment," it had changed its character during the years, but not its name. First, its membership was extended to Include "approved colonlais," such as Jack Dale and "others of kindred spirit," under which head, I suppose, the two cowboys from the Ashley ranch, HI Kendal and Bronco Bill-no one knew and no one asked lifs other name-were admitted. Then its purposes gradually limited themselves to those of a social nature, chiefly in the line of poker playing and whisky Well born and delicately drinking. Well born and delicately bred in that atmosphere of culture mingled with a sturdy common sense and a certain high chivalry which surrounds the stately homes of Britain, those young lads, freed from the restraints of custom and surrounding, seen shed all that was superficial in their make up and stood forth in the naked simplicity of their native man-The west discovered and revealed the man in them, sometimes to their bonor, often to their shame.

The chief of the Company was the Hon. Fred Ashley of the Ashley ranch, some time of Ashley Court, England-a hig good natured man with a magnificent physique, a good income from home and a beautiful wife, the Lady Charlotte, daughter of a neble English family. At the Ashley ranch the tradi-tions of Ashley Court were preserved as far as possible. The Hon. Fred ap-peared at the wolf bunts in riding breeches and top boots, with hunting crop and English saddle, while in all the appointments of the house the custoras of the English home were observed. It was characteristic, however, of western life that his two cowboys. Hi Kendal and Bronco Bill, felt themselves quite his social equals, though in the presence of his beautiful, stately wife they confessed that they "rather weakened." Ashley was a thoroughly



The Duke, still smilling, rought the de-scending fist.

good fellow, well up to his work as a cattle man and too much of a gentleman to feel, much less assert, any superfority of station. He had the largest ranch in the country and was one of the few men unking money.

Ashley's chief friend, or at least most

frequent companion, was a man whom they called the Duke. No one knew his name, but every one said he was the son of a lord," and certainly from

son of almost anything that was high anough in rank. He drew "a result tance," but as that was paid through Ashley no one knew whence it came nor how much it was. He was a perfect pleture of a man, and la all west-ern virtues was easily first. He could rope a steer, bunch cattle, play poket or drink whicky to the admiration of his friends and the confusion of his foes, of whom he had a few, while as to "bronco busting." the virtue par excellence of western cattle men, even Bronco Bill was heard to acknowledge that "he wasn't in it with the Dook for it was his opinion that he could ride anything that had legs in under it even if it was a blanked conflord." And this, coming from one who made a profession of "brence busting," was unquestionably high praise. The Duke lived alone, except when

he deigned to pay a visit to some lonely rancher who, for the marvelous charm of his talk, was delighted to have him as guest, even at the expense of the loss of a few games at poker. He made a friend of no one, though some men could tell of times when he stood between them and their last dollar, exacting only the promise that no mention should be made of his deed. He had an easy, buy manner and a slow, cynical smile that rately left his face, and the only sign of deepening passion in him was a little broadening of his smile. Old Latour, who kept the Stop-ping Place, told me how once the Duke had broken into a goutle laugh.

A French half brood freighter on his

way north had entered into a game of poker with the Dake, with the result that his six months' pay stood in a little heap lit his cuciny's left hand. The enraged Irelighter accused his smiling opponent of being a cheat, and was proceeding to demotish him with one mighty blow. But the Duke, still smilling and without moving from his chair, caught the descending fist, slowly crushed the tingers open and steadily drow the Frenchman to his knees, gripping him so cruelly in the mountime that he was forced to cry aloud in agony for mercy. Then it was that the Duke broke into a light laugh and, touching the kneeding Prenchman on his cheek with his finger tips, said; "Look here, my man, you shouldn't play the game till you know how to do it and with whom you play." Then, handing him back the money he added: I want money, but not yours," Then, as he sat looking at the unfortunate wretch dividing his attention between his money and his bleeding flagers, he once more broke into a gentle laugh that was not good to hear.

The Duke was by all odds the most The Pinke was of all constant most striking figure in the Company of the Noble Seven, and his word went further than that of any other. His shadow was Bruce, an Edinburgh unlversity man, metaphysical, argumentative, persistent, devoted to the Duke. Indeed his chief ambition was to at-tain to the Duke's high and lordly manner, but, inasmuch as he was rather squat in figure and had an open, good natured face and a Scotch voice of the hard and rasping kind, his attempts at imitation were not conspleuously successful. Every mail that reached Swan Creek brought him a letter from home. At first, after I had not to know him, he would give me now and then a letter to read, but as the tone became more and more anxious he ceased to let me read them. and I was glad enough of this. How he could read those letters and so the pace of the Noble Seven I could not Poor Bruce! He had good impulses, a generous heart, but the permit nights and the hunts and the round ups and the poker and all the wild excesses of the Company were more than be could stand.

Then there were the two Hill brothers, the younger, Bertle, a fair haired, bright faced youngster, none too able to look after himself, but much in-clined to follies of all degrees and sorts. But he was warm hearted and devoted to his big brother, Humphrey, called Hump, who had taken to ranching mainly with the idea of looking after his younger brother. And no easy matter that was, for every one liked the lad and in consequence helped

In addition to these there were two others of the original seven, but by force of circumstances they were prevented from any more than a nominal connection with the Company. Blake, a typical wild Irishman, bad Joined the police at the Fort, and Gifford had

got married and, as Bill said, "was roped tighter in a steer."

The Noble Company, with the cow-boys that helped on the range and two or three farmers that lived near the Fort, composed the settlers of the Swan Crock country—a strange medley of people of all ranks and nations. But while among them there were the evil hearted and evil living, still for the Noble Company I will say that never have I fallen in with men braver truer or of warmer heart. Vices they had, all too apparent and deadly, but they were due rather to the circumstances of their lives than to the na-tive tendencies of their hearts. Throughout that summer and the winter following I lived among them, camping on the range with them and sleeping in their shacks, bunching cattle in summer and hunting wolves in winter, nor did I, for I was no wiser than they, refuse my part on permit nights. But through all not a man of them ever falled to be true to his standard of honor in the duties of comradeship and brotherhood.

CHAPTER III.

E was the first missionary ever seen in the second was the Old Timer who named him. The Old Timer's advent to the footbill country was prehistoric, and his influence was in consequence immense. No one ven-tured to disagree with him, for to dis-agree with the Old Timer was to write yourself down a tenderfoot, which no one, of course, cared to do. It was a misfortune which only time could repair to be a newcomer, and it was every newcomer's alm to assume with all possible speed the style and cus-

toms of the aristocratic old timers and

to forget as soon as possible the date of his own arrival. So it was as the

Sky Pilot-familiarly the Pilot-that

rne misenomer), went tos ment, e qub In the Swan Creek country.

I had become schoolmaster of Ewan Creek, for in the spring a kind Providence sent in the Muirs and the Bremans with housefuls of children, to the ranchers' diagont, for they foresam plowed fields and bathed wire fences plowed neits and batted wire fences cramping their unlimited ranges. A school became accessary. A little log building was erected, and I was ap-pointed schoolmaster. It was as schoolmaster that I first come to touch the Pilot, for the letter which the Hudson Buy freighters brought me early on summer evening bore the inscription:

> THE BUILDOLMASTER, Public Below, Bwan Gerek, Alberta

There was altogether a fine air about the letter. The writing was in fine, small hand, the tone was fine, and there was something the in the righture "Arthur Wellington Moore." He was glad to know that there was a school und a teacher in Swan Creek, for a school meant children, in whom his would delighted, and in the teacher be would find a ffloud, and without a friend be could not live. He took me into his confidence, telling me that though he had volunteered for this far away mission field he was not much of prencher and he was not at all sure that he would succeed. But he meant to try, and he was charmed at the prospect of having one sympathizer at least. Would I be kind chough to put in some consplenous place the Inclosed notice. filling in the blanks as I thought best?

Divine ecrylce will be held at Swan Creck in — at — o'cl All are cordinity invited. - o'clock. ARTHUR WELLINGTON MOORE.

On the whole I liked his letter. I liked its modest self depreciation, and I liked its cool assumption of my sympathy and co-operation. But I was perplexed. I remembered that Sunday was the day fixed for the great base ball match, when those from "Home," as they fondly called the land across the sea from which they had come, were to wipe the earth with all comers. Besides, "divine sarvice" was an innovation in Swan Creek, and I felt sure that, like all innovations that suggested the approach of the east, it would be

However, humodiately under the notice of the "Grand baseball match for the pain killer,' a week from Sunday, at 2:30; Home versus the World," I planed on the door of the Stopping Place the announcement:

Divine service will be held at Swan Creek, in the Stopping Place Partor, a week from Sunday, immediately upon the concludion of the baseball

ARTHUR WELLINGTON MOORE.

There was a strange incongruity in the two, and an unconscious challenge

All next day, which was Saturday, and, indeed, during the following week, I stood guard over my notice, enjoying the excitement it produced and the comments it called forth. It was the advance were of the great ocean of civilization which many of them had been glad to leave behind-some could have wished forever.

To Robert Muir, one of the farmers newly arrived, the notice was a harbinger of good. It stood for progress, markets and a higher price for land, albeit he wondered "noo he wad be keepit up." But his hard wrought, But his hard wrought, quick spoken little wife at his clow "beoted" his scruples and, thinking of her growing lads, welcomed with unmixed satisfaction the coming of "the meenister." Her satisfaction was shared by all the mothers and most of the fathers in the settlement, but by the others, and especially by that rellicking, roistering crow, the Company of the Noble Seven, the missionary's coming was viewed with varying degrees of animosity. It meant a limitation of freedom in their wildly reck-less living. The permit nights would now, to say the least, be subject to criticism; the Sunday wolf bunts and horse races, with their attendant de-lights, would now be pursued under the eye of the church, and this would not add to the enjoyment of them. One great charm of the country, which Bruce, himself the son of an Edinburgh minister and now secretary of the No-ble Seven, described as "letting a fellow do as he blanked pleased," would be gone. None resented more bitterly than he the missionary's intrusion, which he declared to be an attempt "to reimpose upon their freedom the "to reimpose upon their resetom the trammels of an antiquated and bigoted conventionality." But the rest of the Company, while not taking so decided a stand, were agreed that the establishment of a church institution was an objectionable and impertment as wall as unnergesary proceeding. Of course Hi Kendal and his friend

Bronco Bill had no opinion one way or the other. The church could hardly affect them even remotely. A desen-years' stay in Mentana had proved with sufficient clearness to them that a church was a luxury of civilization the west might well do without.
Outside the Company of the Noble

Seven there was only one whose opin-ion had value in Swan Creek, and that was the Old Timer. The Company had sought to bring him in by making him an honorary member, but he refused to be drawn from his bome far up among the hills, where he lived with his little sir! Gwen and her old half breed nurse, Ponka. The approach of the church be seemed to resent as a personal injury. It represented to him that civilization from which he had fied fifteen years ago with his wife and baby girl, and when, five years later, he laid his wife in the lonely grave that could be seen on the shaded knoll just fronting his cabla door the last link to his past was broken. From all that suggested the great world beyoud the run of the prairie he strank as one shrinks from a sudden touch

upon an old would.
"I guess I'll have to move back." be said to me gloomly.
"Why?" I said in surprise, thinking

of his grazing range, which was ample (CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE.)

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the ald fight for the mastery of the

Rappahanusck line, Lee retired his

whole army beyond the Rappahannock

and also south of the Rapidan, a tribu-tary of the great river. Meads pushed

forward with the Army of the Poto-

man to the Rappelannock and sent his

cavairy across to clear the road for

an advance to Culpeper Court House.

Jeb Stuart was guarding the fords of

the Rappahannock with his troopers.

After the Gettysburg campaign his

corps was organized into two divisions

under Wade Hampton and Fitz Lee.

both sides of the line. Starting with

companies and squadrons, as they were

at Bull Run in 1861, the evolution led

to battailous, then regiments and in

1902 and the early part of 1903 to

brigades. As the numbers of mounted

troops forested and they were looked

to to play important roles in buttle it

was necessary to combine brigades un-

der a single leader into divisions. Kil-

patrick led a division across the Rap-

pulsarmock early on the 13th, hoping

to aurorise the enemy and rush upon

Stuart was not to be careful un-

awares, sithough he was an ease lov-ing soldier in off days of fighting. It

happened that a surgeon of his staff, whose wife had died inside the Fed-

eral lines shortly before, had received

perrolt to remain at his home north

of the Happahannock to look after his

forward movement was on foot, he

crossed an obscure ford of the river

the night of the 12th and warned Huart of trouble abend. Smart sent

lds wagons and disabled horses back

behind the Itapidan and deployed his

Kilpairick's leading brigade, under

Colonel H. E. Davies, Jr., crossed the river at Kelly's ford at 0 a. m., driving

the enemy's pickets back toward Bran-

regiments of Stuart's troopers were in

line supported by three guns. Davies'

men were checked by the fire, and he

brought up two guns, with which the

Brandy Station was an old battle

Davies to make a detour through the

Culpeper. The Confederates encoun-

tered on the new route were driven

back to the Court House, where Davies

found his advance disputed by another

large force of cavalry supported by

shell Stuart's line, Davies sent in two

battaltons of the Second New York cav-

In front of the charging troopers were

a ravine and a creek with a steep hill and a rocky road on the other side.

The road was swept by shells, but the

muzzles of the guns. Using their sabers

only the New Yorkers drove out the

cannoneers and captured two pieces

together with twenty men and an offi-

cer. The capture of the guns, which

tery, gave Davies control of Culpeper.

regiments dashed into the woods to-

gether. General Custer was already

fighting with his brigade to clear the

woods, but the enemy was too strong in front and overlapped the flank of the

Second New York. Custer was hit in the head and his horse killed by a shell.

up the First West Virginia cavalry, which had just been supplied with the

the Spencer repeating rifle, a weapon

which became a favorite with the cav-

tide with their rapid fire and the whole

Either Stuart was not in a serious fighting move that day at Culpeper

or he had orders from his superior not to risk a heavy battle. He withdrew

his guas and retreated to the Rapidan and Klipatrick would have burried his

pace but for the fact that Buford's di-

vision had the right of way and took

the lead. On the morning of the 14th

at one another across the Rapidan. The

and cleared the country between the

Toward the close of the day on the 14th Major Flournoy of the Sixth Various cavalry asked permission of Gen-

eral Hampton to cross the Rapiden and take a dash at some squadrous

Borrowing Trouble.

"I have heard a great deal about people who borrow trouble, but I think my wife is a champion in that line."
"Why, I thought she was always cheerful and contented with her lot.

encertui and contented with her lot.
"She was until our baby was form
six weeks ago. Now she is worrying
because he may marry some girl that
we shall not like."

line moved forward again.

two rivers of the enemy.

The Virginians had not fired a

bers and forced back.

alty on a charge.

guns. Bringing up a battery to

enemy's pieces were soon sitenced.

dy Station, on the railroad, where two

corps for the defense of Culpeper.

the Court House unopposed.

irr. 13, 193, two months after

the affair at Palling Waters.

where Lee crossed the Potomac

on his retreat from Gettysburg,

blue which be saw isolated from their fellows on the other side. His request was granted, and, evesting without opwas granted, and receiving witness op-position, he formed aquadrons and charged the fos with a gallantry which was witnessed by the troops of both arroles. After driving the Federals to the shelter of the woods Picurnoy returned to his camp at a walk, corrying

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WAR STORY

off soveral prisouers. With their armies fixed on the Rappahamock line, Lee and Mew's, the rival chieftains, scemed to have no plan beyond that of upsetting the plane of each other. Les had been compelled to detach Longuireet's corps and soud it to Georgia to help the army of Bregg in the light for Chattanooga. Without its old warborso the Army of Virginia was loath to try the issue of buttle against the victors of Gettysburg.
While the infantry on both sides

idled the time in camp the cavalry was under Wade Hampton and Fitz Lee. alert to guard against surprise. In Cavalry was gaining importance on war the unexpected may happen any day. If Meade should discover the absence of Longstreet from Lee's ranks he might spring an attack. One day Stuart found the cavalry of Buford marching in a direction which would take blm to the rear of Lee. He at tacked the moving column by mounted charges, but failed to shake the Federal While fighting in front Stuars was alarmed to flud another body of cavalry marching around his flank to cut him off from the Hapidan ford. For a time Stuart thought be was lost. When he attempted to draw out of the fight with Boford the Federal leader pressed the fighting all along the line: Kilpatrick had thrown, a line of dismounted men across the road to the ford. Several mounted charges of Stuart's men fatied to shake of fuford's grip. The battle field was open ground with a bill in the center. Stuart planted all his guns on the bill, firing them in both directions, while his regipersonal affairs. Seeing from the them in both directions, while his regi-preparations in the Federal camps that ments could be seen charging cast and

west from the hill. Stuart saw that if Kilpatrick held the road he would be forced to retreat across country and lose his guns. regiments were told to cut through Kil-patrick's line at any cost. The Federals were lined up behind a fence. One regiment rode at the tence full tilt, throwing it down and bursting through the line, forming on both sides of the road, keeping it clear until the guns passed through at a gallop. After passing his guns to the rear Stuart left the field to Buford, glad to save his command with the loss of honor.

An amusing incident of this fight on the Confederate side was furnished by one of the numerous foreign solground, well known to Kilpatrick as well as to Stuart. Kilpatrick ordered diers of fortune who haunted the camps of both annies. For some weeks an Englishmen with the high soundwoods and attack in the direction of ling name of George St. Leger Grenfell



THE SABER CHARGE ON THUMPSON'S GUNE. had served on Stuart's staff with the rank of lieutenant colonel. He claimed to come from the camp of General John Morgan, the Kentucky raider, Fearing a second repulse, Davies called , who was then in prison at Columbus O. His western reputation was that of great gallantry in hattle. Stuart made use of the foreigner as an inspector, not taking his battle record seriously. shot that diff and spring from their saddles with a will. Rushing into the woods, the fresh troops turned the When Stuart was driven to the hill.

fighting right and left. Grenfell stood looking on without showing any eager ness to count one in the crisis. The two regiments sent against Kilnatrick on the ford road made their way with difficulty, and at the moment of col-lision one of them recoiled. Grenfell at once concluded that the day was lost and took to the brush. Making his way to the Rapidan, he swam the current and turned up at Lee's headquarters near Orange Court House with the news that Stuart and all his the troopers in blue and gray scowled staff, together with the entire command, had been surrounded and cap-Federal cavalry had taken Culpeper tured. tured. When at last the cavalcade marched in, triumpling if not tricompliant. Greafell again disappeared and never again showed his face in Street's canes. It was not the first coersion nor the last when Stuart cut his way out of an ugly corner. GEORGE L. KILMER.

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THE SKY PILOT.

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"This blank Sky Pilot." He never

swore except when unusually moved. "Sky Pliot?" I inquired. He nedded and allently pointed to the

"Oh, well, he won't hurt you, will he?

"Can't stand it." he answered savage-

ly; "must get away."
"What about Gwen?" I ventured,
for she was the light of bis eyes. "Pity to stop her studies." I was giving her weekly lessons at the old man's ranch "Dunno. Ain't figgered out yet about that buby." She was still his baby. "Guess she's all she wants for the foothills, anyway. What's the use?" he added bitterly, talking to himself after the manner of men who live anola doua

I waited for a moment, then sold, "Well, I wouldn't hurry about doing nything," knowing well that the one thing an old timer intes to do is to make any change in his mode of life. "Maybe he won't stay."

He enught at this eagerly. "That's There ain't much to keep bim, anyway." And he rode off to his lone ly ranch far up in the hills.

I looked after the swaying figure and tried to picture his past, with its trag-edy; then I found myself wondering how he would end and what would come to his little girl, and I made up my mind that if the missionary were the right sort his coming might not be a bad thing for the Old Timer and perhaps for more than blin.

CHAPTER IV.

THE PILOT'S MEASURE.

T was Hi Kendal that announced the arrival of the missionary. I was stunding at the door of my school, matching the children ride off home on their postes, when HI came loping along on his bronco in the loose jointed cowboy style.

"Well." he drawled out, bringing bla bronce to a dead stop in a single bound,

"Lit? Where? What?" said I, looking round for an eagle or some other flying thing.

"Your blanked Sky Pilot, and he's a beauty, a preity kid-looks too tender for this climate. Better not let him out on the range." Hi was quite disgusted evidently.

"What's the matter with bim, HI?" "Wity, he shift no parson! I don't go much on parsons, but when I calls for one I don't want no bantam chick-No, sirree, horse, I don't want no blankety-blank pink and white complected nursery kid foolin' round my graveyard. If you're goin' to bring along a parson, why, bring him with his eyetceth cut and his tail feathers on."

That Hi was deeply disappointed was quite clear from the selection of the profanity with which he adorned this lengthy address. It was never the extent of his profaulty, but the choice, that indicated Hi's interest in any sub-

Altogether the outlook for the misstonary was not encouraging. With the stugie exception of the Muirs, who really counted for little, nobody wanted him. To most of the reckless young bloods of the Company of the Noble Seven his presence was an offense, to others simply a nuisance, while the Old Timer regarded his advent with something like disnay, and now Hi's impression of his personal appearance was not cheering.

My first sight of him did not reassure me. He was very slight, very young, very innocent, with a face that might do for an angel, except for the touch of bumor in it, but which seemed strangely out of place muong the rough, hard faces that were to be seen in the Swan Creek country. It was not a weak face, however. The forehend was high and square, the mouth firm, and the eyes were luminous, of some dark color violet, if there is such a color in eyesdreamy or sparkling, according to his mood; eyes for which a woman might find use, but which in a missionary's head appeared to me one of those extraordinary wastes of which nature is sometimes guilty.

He was gazing for away into space infinitely beyond the foothills and the mountains lybind them. He turned to me as I arew near with

eyes alight and face glowing.
"It is glorious!" he almost panted. "You see this every day?" Then, recalling himself, he came eagerly toward me, stretching out his band.
"You are the schoolmaster, I know.
Do you know, it's a great thing! I wanted to be one, but I never could get the boys on. They always got me telling them tales. I was awfully disappointed. I am trying the next best thing. You see, I won't have to keep order, but I don't think I can prear very well. I am going to visit your school. Have you many scholuts? Do you know, I think it's splendfd! I wish I could do it."

I had intended to be somewhat stiff with him, but his evident admiration of me made me quite forget this taudsble intention, and as he talked on without waiting for an answer his enthusisem, his deference to my opinion, his charm of manner, his beautiful face, his luminous eyes, made him perfectly irresiatible, and before I was aware I was listening to his plans for working his mission with eager interest. So eager was my interest, indeed, that before I was aware I found myself asking him to tea with me in my shack. But he declined, saying:
"I'd like to awfully; but, do you

know, I think Latour expects me." This consideration of Latour's feelings almost upset me.

"You come with me," he added, and

ar welcomed us with his grim

of three wreathed in unusual smiles. that has been talking to him too. got it, Latour!' he cried out as he is red. "Here you are." And he breat into the heautiful French Canadian chanson "A la Cinire Fontaine," to the old half breed's almost tearful delight

"Do you know," he went on, "I heard that first down the Mattawa," and away he went into a story of an experience with French Canadian raftsmen, mixing up his French and English in so charming a manner that La-

tour, who in his younger days long ago had been a shantyman himself, could hardly know whether he was standing

on his head or on his heels. After ten I proposed a ride out to see the sunset from the nearest rising ground. Latour, with unexampled generosity, offered his own cayuse, ground.

"I can't ride well," protested, the

"Ah, dat's good ponce, Louis," urged Latour. "He's quiet lak wan leetle



mouse; he's ride lak-what you call? -wan horse on de rock. which persuasion the pony was accepted.

That evening I saw the Swan Creek country with new eyes—through the luminous eyes of the Pilot. We ride up the trail by the side of the Swan till we came to the couler mouth, dark

and full of mystery.
"Come on," I said, "we must get to
the top for the sunset."

He looked lingeringly into the deep shadows and asked, "Anything live down there?" "Covotes and wolves and ghosts."

"Ghosts?" he asked delightedly. "Do You know. I was sure there were, and I'm quite sure I shall see them." Then we took the Porcupine trail

and climbed for about two miles the gentle slope to the top of the first ris-ing ground. There we stayed and watched the sun take his nightly plunge into the sea of mountains, no dimly visible. Behind us stretched the prairie, sweeping out level to the sky and cut by the winding coules of the Bwan. Great long shadows from the hills were lying upon its yellow face and far at the distant edge the gray haze was deepening into purple. Be fore us lay the hills, softly curving like the shoulders of great sleeping monsters, their tops will bright, but the separating valleys full of shadow And there, for boyond them, up against the sky, was the line of the mountains blue, purple and gold, according as the light fell upon them.

The sun had taken his plunge, but he

had left behind him the robes of satfron and gold. We stood long without a word or movement, filling our hearts with the silence and the beauty, till the gold in the west began to grow High above all the night was đim. stretching her star pierced, blue canopy and drawing slowly up from the east over the prairie and over the sleeping hills the soft folds of a purple haze The great silence of the dying day bad fallen upon the world and held us fast.

"Listen," he said in a low tone, point ing to the bills. "Can't you bear them breathe?" And, looking at their cury ing shoulders, I fancied I could see them slowly heaving as if in heavy sleep, and I was quite sure I could hear them breathe. I was under the spell of his voice and his eyes, and nature was all living to me then.

We rode back to the Stopping Place

in silence, except for a word of mine now and then which he heeded not, and, with hardly a good night, he left me at the door. I turned away feel ing as if I had been in a strange country and among strange people.

How would be do with the Swap Creek folk? Could be make them

the bills breath as I felt under his voice and eyes!
What a curious mixture he was! I
was doubtful about his first Sunday, and was surprised to find all my to difference as to bis success or fallure gone. It was a pity about the basebah match. I would speak to some of the men about it tomorrow.

Hi might be disappointed in his ap pearance, but as I turned into my shack and thought over my last two hours with the Pilot and how he had "got" old Latour and myself I began to think that Hi might be mistaken in his measure of the Pilot.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Gambettn's Skull. When Gambetta died the medical au-

thorities requested Dr. Laborde, the distinguished physician, to examine his brain, and, going to Ville d'Avray, where the body lay, he began work as soon as possible. First he opened the skull and then, removing the brain, laid it on a napkin and took it to bis own house, where, for the purpose of preserving it, he placed it in a solution of suiphate of zinc.

Unfortunately before doing so he had forgotten to weigh it, and when he took It out of the solution next day he found that a portion of it had been dissolved and that what remained of the brain of the famous statesman weighed only 700 grams, which is about the weight of an idiot's brain.

Dr. Laborde, it is said, never torgave himself for making this blunder.

Xot So Bad.

"Poor man," she said, stooping over the victim who had just been dragged out from under her automobile, "have "No," he grouned; "this is the worst

thing that ever happened to me."-Chlcago Reconf-Herald. There were ulnety Pairons of Husbandry in the Connecticut legislature

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The Mercury.

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Saturday, August 22, 1903.

France is to increase the tariff on pork, ham and bacon.

Congressman Cannon of Hilmois says that a lot of Eastern fellows think they are in a bad way and need currency legislation to help them out.

It is said that the Royal Artillery Co. of London will delay its visit to this country a week. In that case it is thought that the trip to Rhode Island will have to be omitted.

Minister Conger has secured the written promise of Prince Ching that on October 18 he will sign a treaty with the United States opening the ports of Mukden and Tatung-Tao.

The Emperor of Japan says that the United States is the best friend of his country among all the nations. All the nations of the earth seem to be in love with "Uncle Samuel" just now.

Although there was no race on Thurs day, owing to lack of wind, yet the action of the Reliance gave the backers of the American yacht great encouragement to believe that the cup will remain on this side of the water.

The next meeting of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held in Boston in 1904. At the annual election of officers in San Francisco Thursday, Gen. John C. Black of Illinois was elected commander-in-chief. The gathering on the far-off Pacific coast this week has been a memorable one.

The immigration to this country duringlithe year ending June 30 eclipsed all previous records. The total number was 921,315, which passed the previous large record of that of 1882, by 182,000. The number for 1902 was 780,798. The present year, according to the indications, will see over a million of the Old World inhabitants landed on our shores.

They have a peculiar way of doing things in the Missouri courts. Here is a case cited by the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Eleven years ago a brakeman on a Missouri railroad had both legs crushed in an accident, caused, it is claimed, by rotten thubers in an uninspected car. Twice the circuit court awarded the brakeman \$15,000 damages and three times the state supreme court affirmed the case. But in June of this year the court reversed itself, and the brakeman will get nothing unless allowed a re-hearing.

Colombia declines to take teu millions in gold and a quarter of a million a year for the use of its strip of land for Uncle Sam's big ditch. Ten millions in gold would make several hundred millions in Colombian currency. That country has in circulation \$653,000,000 in paper money from which nearly all value has departed. The paper money per capita in \$163 and it takes over \$100 of the stuff to pay a hotel bill for one day. All that the United States asks is the control of a narrow strip on which \$200,000,000 in gold will be expended to bring to the region of Colombia a vast ocean commerce. If any country needed the money and business that the building of the canal will bring that country would seem to be Colombia.

Aisa for these idol-smashers. Why can't they let things alone? Why must these severely accurate men keep continually upsetting the romances of history? The last one to undermine our belief in the accuracy of our poets and historians is Judge White of Salem, who shatters Lougfellow beautiful poem the "Wreck of the Hesperus," by telling us that there was no Hesperus wrecked off Gloucester and no woman floated ashore on a mast. He proves this by the Salem Clazette of the date of the supposed wreck, which contains no mention of such a vessel, so he concludes that Langfellow must have taken the usual "poetle license" with the facts. Perhaps he did, but what is the use of raking it up now? Better let us think one of the most beautiful poems ever written was founded on fact.

Great Progress.

A brief comparison of the industrial situation in 1900 with that in 1850 is instructive. The number of factories in the United States in that half-century period increased from 123,025 to 512,339; the number of wage-earners from 957, 059 to 5,316,802, and the yearly product from \$1,019,000,000 to \$13,014,000,000. The product grew thirteenfold, the number of wage carners sixfold and the number of factories fourfold. The production of coal in the same time increased seventy fold; of petroleum more than a hundredfold; of physican twentyfourfold, and of copper thirty-fivefold. In 1850 the yield of cotton was 2,333,-718 bales, and in 1900 9,136,416 bales.

Our railway infleage grew from 9021 miles in 1850 to 194,321 in 1960. In 1860 the tonnage at the Soo canal was 403,857 in-1900 it was 22,315,831. Exports of manufactured articles have grown from \$17,580,000 in 1859 to \$433,851,000 in ; 1900. The gain to export of manufactionnult. tures has been from \$25,000,000 in 1596to over \$400,000,000 in 1903. In the light of these figures it is useless to mer Pacty and wife are compyling to deny the results of the tariff system. They are unparalleled in the history of the world. Our workmen are the most; productive, as well as the best paid. Their handiwork advances constantly ! in the estimation of foreign consumers.

Mr. Augustus B. Davis, Jr., of Kingston, R. I., is visiting friends in this

Latest Crop Reports.

Prime's Crop Bureau says: Conditions for the maturing of the corn crop show a decided improvement, the temperature being higher. We ought to have thirty days of favorable weather for corn to get out of the way of frost.

Full reports from the surplus grain growing states show, no matter what the results of the present crop season may be, that farmers have not been in as good financial shape as they are today for many seasons. Everything in-dicates an excellent fall trade, with

very large railroad passenger traffle. Reports of the condition of corn at best show little if any gain over ten days ago. Up to this writing the season has been one of great backwardness and disappointments, and today we have very little encouragement to look forward to as to the final result of the growing crop of corn. Corn has not made up any of its lost time since the first of July. The earliest corn is yet fourteen days late. A frost the first week in October would catch the early corn, and it is a very indefluite proposition to state at the present time when the late corn will mature. Corn is just beginning to ear out, but the conditions are against long cars and a well developed and well filled kernel and cob, Reserves of corn are today nearly

wholly, if not all, in the hands of farmers. With the uncertainty of the coming crop, farmers are mostly out of the market and we shall see no large receipts, even with better crop prospects than we have at the present

In the southern and central portions of the oat belt, threshing has been well cleaned up. The late threshing reveals the fact of a very uneven yield in quantity but of a good quality. As with the other matured grains, far mers show very little disposition, even with prices now ruling, to crowd the new crop on the market. .

Judge Rogers deckled in the Circult Court of St. Louis that Western Union has the right to dismiss employes because they belong to the union or for any other reason; that there can be no conspiracy through a lawful act and that a blacklist may be maintained and given out to others.

Spain has appropriated \$96,500 for its exhibit at the World's Fair. As the former owner of the real estate on which the Fair is built, Spain will be heartily welcome, and it will notice that the purchaser of the property has improved it considerably, rays the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Thursday was the Boston excursion day and brought to Newport one of the largest crowds of the season. The busses and carriages were all in commission and the drivers were kept busy pointing out the various points of interest around the drives in the city.

Mrs. Blich of Utles, N. Y., daughter of the late Solomon T. Hubbard of this city, and Dr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Jones are spending a few days here. Mrs. Jones is the daughter of Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Cozzews, Jr., of Chicago, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, which will bear the name of its great uncle, James G. Cozzens.

Weather Bulletin.

Copyrighted, 1903, by W. T. Foster. WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22-Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturb-since to cross continent 21 to 25, warm wave 20 to 24, cool wave August 23 to

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about 26, cross west of Rockies by close of 27, great central valleys 28 to 30, eastern states 31.

Warm wave will cross west of Rock-les about 26, great central valleys 28, eastern states August 30, Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about 29, great cantral valleys 31, eastern states Sav-

tember 2. This disturbance will belong to a low temperature period and the storms will be of more than usual force. It will be much cooler, however, in the north than in the south and by this I mean that northern temperatures will go much more below northern normals than southern temperatures will go be-

low southern normals,
This disturbance follows the lowest
temperatures that will occur till after
September 16 and the north and east for sometime following, through most of September, will have it to cool for erop purposes while the south and west will have warm favorable crop

with nave washing weather.

First disturbance of September will reach Pacific coast about 1, cross west of Rockies by close of 2, great central valleys 8 to 5, eastern states 6.

valleys 3 to 5, eastern states 6.

Warm wave will cross west of Rockies about 1, great central valleys 3, eastern states 5. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about 4, great central valleys 6, custern states 8.

Temperature of this disturbance will go to extremes in southern states but at the dear will no curve low in northern

its close will go very low in northern. A tropical storm and one from the northwest will unite east of the Missisph and will grow into a flerce storm on the Atlantic coast and portheastern on the Atlantic coast and northeastern states about 6 and on north Atlantic about 7 and 8. Don't permit yourself to be caught in that storm, particularly on the water, either on north Atlantic or on north Pacific for it will be dangerous. It will cause considerable ratus in the northern and southeastern status but not made and contracted and southeastern status but not made algorithms.

states but not until the advantage of states but not until the description. Stay on guard from this date till close of the leter for the atmosphere elements will be in a great uprose, a transit.

Spitiant A. Michigana 21.--Morththird closy good in the Evans house While Show was asteen on the couch, leaving his wife asteen on the ted, she managed, while still askep, to get half way out of the large window and when seen by a patrolman was hanging bend downward with the window closed upon her body. After much difficulty the window was raised and she was rescued.

Washington-Matters.

The Bed News from Colombia -- Chances of an Extra Section-Interesting State Compaigns this Year-Notes. (From Our Regular Correspondental

Erron Our Regular Correspondent). WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 17, 1903. Cable communication is again established between the United States and Bogota, the capital of Colombia, but the first news received from that point in several weeks is by no means encouraging for the ratification of the Panama canal treaty and the advocates of the Nicaraguan route are mach encouraged. No test vote has been taken in the Colombian Congress but in committee a large number of amendin committee a large number of amend-ments were adopted by a vote of 17 to 2 and the two members who voted negatively are in favor of the entire re-pudiation of the treaty. Senator Oil-ion has been in Oyster Bay in confer-ence with the President regarding the possibility of getting the acceptance of the treaty by the Senate in its amended form and be told the President that he believed there was little likelihood of beheved there was little likelihood of the Senate's sauctioning any changes in the convention. Dr. Herran, the Colombian charge d'affaires in Wash-ington, still maintains a hopeful atti-tude, but it is believed that he is shnost hoping against hope. By the provision of the Spooner law, under which the treaty with Colombia was negotiated, the President is instructed to conduct negotiations with Nicuragus and Costa Ries in theevent that negotiations with Colombia fail and the representatives Colombia fail and the representatives of those governments are on the ground and ready to complete a treaty under the most favorable terms.

the most favorable terms.
A report has been received in Washington from Oyster Bay to the effect that there is a possibility of the President's calling Congress in extraoulinary season, even before the date heretofore anneanced, November 9. This report is believed to have grown out of a statement made by Senator Aldrich a statement made by Senator Aldrich in which he says, "Should the Presiin which the ways, "Should the Presi-dent call Congress in session in October or November." It is reported that the members of the aut-committee of the members of the sub-committee of the Benate committee on finance, who have been in Oyster Bay conferring with the President with regard to the financial bill they are charged with drafting, have urged upon Mr. Rossevelt the ad-visability of authorizing Congress to take up the fluancial measure in ad-vance of the resolution necessary to put the provisions of the Cuban treaty into effect and that the Freadent has refused to do so but has said be would call Congress eyen eartier than had been antici pated, if that were considered nalvisa-ble by the members of the committee. Politicians and officials in Washington are hoping the rumor will prove to be unfounded, as they believed would be a mistake to attempt to convene a ses-sion of Congress before the local elections are over.

There are some very interesting and important state campaigns this year, notwithstanding the fact that it is what is known as "an off year." The cam-paign, already on in Ohio, promises to be a hot one. Mayor Tom Johnson of Cleveland has announced his deter-mination to defeat Senator Hanna for the Scuute by securing the election of a legislature hostile to the junior Senator from Ohio. While there is no reason from Ohlo. to believe that Johnson can accomplish to believe that Johnson can accomplish this end, it is appreciated that the Ohio-Republicans must be prepared to make a good fight and no member of Congress can be spared from the field in advance of the voting. In Rhode Island there is also a peculiar condition and one requiring close attention. The Democrata have made unprecedented gains in that state and as Senator Aldrich will go before the legislature text year for re-election it is most important that the lost ground be recovered in that the lost ground be recovered in the approaching campaign. It is the intention of the Republican leaders inthat state to conduct a whirlwind camthat state to conduct a whirlwind cam-paign with the hopes of sweeping all before them and it may become necess-ary for Senator Aldrich personally to superintend the fight. Situations al-most as interesting exist in other states and for that reason the Republican politicians are hoping that the Presi-dent will not impose on the members of Congress national duties at a time when their services are needed by their rearty in their own states. party in their own states.

party in their own states.

Secretary Shaw, Comproller of the Currency Ridgely and former Secretary of the Tressury John G. Carlisle, have all licen at Oyster Bay to confer with the President with regard to the needed financial legislation. Mr. Carlisle was invited to the conference because the President wishes, in so far as may be, to defer to the views of the Democrats and thus insure a large maas may be, to defer to the views of the Democrats and thus insure a large majority for a measure which be and his advisors regard as so essential to the future welfare of the country. In this connection it is pointed out that the financial market is already in a somewhat precarious condition and a searcitude. to sends funds went to becomes necessary to sends funds west to move the crops, night be attended with disastrons re-sults. This argument is doubtless auother that is being used with the Presi-dent in favor of an extra early ses-

sion.

Secretary Root has placed his resignation in the hands of the President to take effect as early in the winter as Mr. Roosevort will permit. Mr. Root sails for Europe on the 2nd, of this month to take part in the proceedings of the Ataskan Boundary Commission and will prepare his annual report immediately on his return, when he hopes to be relieved of his present office. Mr. Root has proven so able a secretary of war that his regisnation is a matter of sincere regret to the President whose official and personal relations with him have always been most cordial. As, however, every member of the cabinet serves only at a considerable pecuniary sacrifice, the President feels that he cannot longer urge Mr. Root to remain. While it was first supposed that Mr. Root's position would fail to Governor Taft, and it is still believed that it will be offered to that official, there seems to be some doubt as to the Governor's willingers to accept the rosition. Secretary Root has placed his resig-

to be some doubt as to the Governor's willingness to accept the position. It is believed that complete easily government will soon be accorded to the Philtiplies and that then the jurislic-tion of the war department in the islands will end, so that Governor Taft's knowledge of the islands might not provo of special use were he to be-come secretary of war.

The total production of wheat in Illinois this year, according to the state board of agriculture, was 16,118,000 bushels, being nearly 20,000,000 bushels less than in 1902 and the cats crop of Illinois is the smallest since 1895, 98,-578,000 hurbels being exported.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont arrived in New York the past week on steamer Raiser Willielm II from Europe.

Mrs. Allan Friend and Master Raymond. Friend are visiting friends in

FUND REACHES \$5500

Methodists Generously Respond to Call of Preacher's Aid Socolty

Boston, Aug. 20,-The gift of \$1000 towards the Methodist Preachers' Ald fund, recently depleted by W. S. Allen's defalcation, from F. B. Webster of Boston is announced, without any condition or proviso whatsoever. It will be placed towards the account of the permanent fund, which a committee of the society is now trying to restore to the original figure of \$75,000. This contribution, when added to the amount previously pledged, brings the

total up to \$5500. In this week's issue of Zion's Herald Editor Parkhurst says: "We do not expect the capture of Allen. He is a shrewd and sunning man of a certain successful type. He has bad years to plan his flight, for it was likely to become a necessity at any moment as the result of his rascality.

NEW ENGLAND BRIEFS

Three large barns at Milford, Conn. belonging to Albertus N. Clark, a meedsman, were burned, causing a loss of \$20,000.

While bathing at Savin Hill beach, Boston, William Stewart, aged 24, suddenly threw up his hands and sank. When his body was recovered life was extinct:

r rederick W. Hagar, formerly chief of police of Cambridge, Mass., and subsequently for several years probation officer by appointment of the Middlesex county court, died suddenly at Antrim. N. R., aged 75.

Miss Grace E. Drew, better known as a writer under the name "Margery Daw," and George W. Alger, a lawyer of New York city, were married at the home of the bride's parents at Brook-

The corneratone of the new public library building at Needham, Mass., donated by Andrew Carnegle, was laid by Mrs. J. G. A. Carter, wife of the donor of the site.

The Goodwin memorial library at Hadley, Mass., was dedicated in connection with an Old Home Week re union. Many of the former residents were present at the exercises.

Dr. C. F. Hildreth, surgeon, business man and prominent Odd Fellow, died at Manchester, N. H., aged 71. He was a surgeon in the army and navy during the Civil War. He had been county treasurer and president of a savings bank of Suncock. By the will of Charles R. Hoskins,

the last member of a well-known Rhode Island family, an estate variously estimated at from \$100,000 to \$260,000 is distributed among public institutions

The centennial of the Congregationalist church at Littleton, N. H., was closed with a banquet.

An electric car struck a carriage containing two men near East Brookfield, Mass., cutting a deep gash in the forehead of Frank Williams and seriously bruising the right shoulder of Samuel E. Winch. The carriage was demolished.

Edward Lavin, 10 years old, fell everboard from a boat in which he was playing at Pawtucket, R. I., and was Bradley D. Rising of Springfield.

Mass., head of the Rising paper mills at Housatonic, is dead, following a stroke of apoplexy. He was 62 years Charles Libby of Scarboro, Me., was

drowned in Sebago lake while rowing from Indian island, where he had been camping, to the station to connect with a Portland train.

The new dormitory which Frederick W. Vanderbilt has donated to the Sheffield scientific school of Yale university will be named in memory of his brother, the late Cornelius Vander-

George E. Day, 39, was drowned at Davis Neck, Gloucester, Mass., by the capsizing of a dory. Two companions were rescued, one in an unconscious conditión.

While walking the track of the Suburban electric railway at Providence Leander Potter was struck and instantly killed by a car near his Detror was 60 years old and of While walking the track of the irregular habits.

A new schoolhouse at Clinton, Mass., was defaced by persons who broke into the building and daubed the walls with paint left by the paint The schoolhouse was nearly ready for occupancy.

The anniversary of the battle of Bennington, fought in 1777 between General Burgoyne's army and the New Hampshire, Massachusetts and Vermont troops, was appropriately observed at Bennington, Vt.

John Dominos, aged 25, was drowned at Warren, R. I.; while bath-

Mrs. Lydia H. Greenleat, the oldest member of the Daughters of New Hampshire, died at Nashua, aged 93. She was a native of Rumney. The body of Daniel Maycock, 48,

was found in the surf at Salisbury Beach, Mass. It is thought death was due to apoplexy.

The wreck of the New Haven schooner Agues B. Manson, the largest

three-masted vessel of that rig in existence, has been blown up by the government off Nantuckot, Mass. Her submerged hull had been a great menace to navigation. Thomas Larkin, aged 22, who has

been working on the new Empire theater at Lewiston, Me, was critically injured by a brick failing from the highest part of the wall and striking him on the head. Illa recovery is doubtful.

Augustus F. Lash, one of the ploneer building razers of Boston, who is credited with having taken down more than 3000 buildings, many of them landmarks, is dead. He was born in Newcastie, Me., in 1831.

Work Stopped an Bunlinrium Pascong, R. I., Aug. 21.—Fifty carpenters employed on the state santtarium for consumptives have struck They object to the present scale of wages and to a recent change in overseers, and refuse to return to work until their demands are complied with.

An old bachelor living about six illes from Richmond, Kau., was a recepencies of the flood. He had An old bachelor living about six niles from Richmond, Kan, was a large beneficiary of the flood. He had lived for years in a little old shasty. The flood washed it away, but left in its place a new, well built, six room house, which is well furnished throughout. The bachelor tried to flud out where it came from. Having failed, he has decided to take what he Lord provides, and is living very comfortably in it, and thinking of making an addition to his household.

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There are sealour resorts averywhere but few sections one compare with the famous New Jersey Cosst and there is nothing more beautiful. The bothing is the threet, be ellimite delightful and the surroundings enchanting. There are thus reach in the mists of a region in every way to his tiking. Likewise the interior of Jersey is interesting from every standpoint. The General Passenger Department of the New Jersey Central has just issued a profusely illustrated book on New Jersey, entitled "Menaboré and Mountains," which is sent to any address upon recipt of sents in stamps by C. M. But, General Passenger Agent, New Jersey Central, 143 Liberty Street, New York.

Easier Work.

"Why don't you try to carve your name high on the tablets of fame?" asked the poetic enthusiast.
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Deaths.

of Walter W. and Mary Elizabeth Thompson aged 7 months. In this city, 19th Inst., Abramo Brogl, aged

Coggeshall, aged 84 years. In Providence, 12th Inst. Abby D., widow Capitan Waido-Callins, 89, 19, Job Dawley, 15, Mercy J., whilew of James S. Moore,

In Fall River, 19th Inst., Waiter S. Perry, in his Si year.

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PLAYOUT OF HAND-TUBSI Winn by Muchlehous Company in Con-

to t of Veteran Phremen. Baiem, Mass., Aug. 21.-Fully 50,004 people witnessed the parade and play. out of the New England States Veter ans Firemen's league here, in which 4000 firemen, on the active and veteran lists, participated, representing over 50 companies. The Okommakement company of Marblebend captured first prize of \$250 in the playout, with a record of 220 feet 8 1-4 inches. Nonan tum of Newton won second prize of \$150, with 218 feet 11 3-4 inches; Neptune of Manchester third, with 214 feet 21-8 Inches, and fourth and last prize went to City of Lowell of Lowell, with a play of 215 feet 9 1.2 inches.

The city was througed with specia-tors and the city was layishly decorated with flags and bunting, while the bright uniforms of the fire indiles gave added color to the scene. Lieutenant Governor Gulld, who is at present acting governor, rode in the parado with Mayor Peterson, and the mayors of a dozen other cities were present. The Common presented a lively as nect, with tenis for the visitors, officials, Woman's Relief Corps, lunch room and scores of booths occupied by taking of every sort,

Bank Sallure Caused Assignment

Boston, Aug. 20.-Mr. Nutter, one of the assignees of the Mason Hamilin company, manufacturers of planet said organs, which sometq yesterday, rays that the present financial condition of the company dates from the failure of the Central National hank in November last. The bank was a creditor of the Mason & Hamlin company to a lurge amount. The company also owed considerable berrowed money to other banks. Nuts ber thinks the unsecured liabilities will reach \$390,000 or \$350,000.

Wright to Good Realth Marblehead, Mass., Aug. 21.-There is no truth in the report from Pottsville, Pa., that Carroll D. Wright is ill at his home here. Mr. Wright expresses himself as being in excellent

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OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF TAXES, CITY HALL, NEWFORK, R. J. 100 27, 100.

THETAX BILL for 108 is now in my hands for collection, and must be paid from and

JULY 1, 1903,

AUGUST 31, 1903. The lime allowed by the Ordinance of the City Council for the payment of this Tax ex-pires on the filst day of August, 1993, and ac-cording to said Ordinance (as authorized by the Laws of this Saule) all taxes not paid on or before that date, shall carry, until collect-ed, a PENALTY at the rate of 12 per centum rer samms.

en a common per anum. Taxpayers are therefore carnestly request-d to pay the amount assessed upon their several estates.

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E. W. HIGRER, Collector of Taxes. The printed list of axpayers for 1903 is now ready for distribution of the office of the Tax Collector.

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Marriages.

In Washington, 12th Inst., Engene W-Staples of Washington and May Cleaves of this city.

The timberty of the lines, Eath Grace Latting, daughter of Alfred Hand Minute A. Wilbour. In Portsmouth, 18th Inst., Genericve L. A., daughter of the late Frank Dyer, aged Il mouths.

In South Portsmouth, 14th Inst., Edward & Coorestant aced 54 years.

THE CUP IS SAFE

1s Opinion of Witnesses of First International Race

CONTEST IS DECLARED OFF

Rut Bellance Easily Showed Rev. Heels to Challenger in Weather Adsultted to He Best suited to Mug-Hunter-Mile Astern at the Flaish

New York, Aug. 21.-One of the biggest crowds of eightscers and yachtsmen that ever sailed down Sandy Hook to witness an attempt of a foreign mughunter to wrest from America the yachting supremacy of the world returned to New York last night disappointed because the sea had refused a field of combat to the racers, but, nevertheless, jubilant in the conviction that Sir Thomas Lipton's latest challenger, like the two Shamrocks which had preceded her, was doomed to return to England

empty handed. Of course, the race yesterday will be not absolutely conclusive owing to the light and shifting character of the airs, but in a 15-mile beat to windward, a portion of which was sailed in a driving rain, Hellance showed her heels to Shamrock III in commanding style and in weather condithe particular liking of the challenger.

Fife's latest creation has been

beralded as a veritable wizard in light breezes in windward work, especially with a jumpy sea on, while the bigger and more powerful defender, Reliance, in her trials had showed best reaching and running in a whole sall wind.

Yet, with a breeze varying from 1 to 12 knots and against a long ground swell, the defender outfooted and outpointed her. The Shamrock did not turn the outer mark and there is therefore no way of knowing absolutely how badly she was beaten, but it was estimated that she was more than a mile satern, or about 16 inhutes in the existing strength of the wind when Reliance rounded. As a result of the trial the experts believe, blow high or low, that Reliance will win this, the 13th series for the America's cup.

The day was a miserable one for those who went down to the ocean race course. A mist lay over the city and bay in the norning, and when the starting line was reached black, threatening clouds were gathering over the Jersey highlands. The brewse was not over six knots and the murky waves spilled no white froth from their crests.

The course was set 15 miles southsouthwest, straight down the Jersey coast and return. At the very start Captain Barr, the Yankee skipper, who has twice plicted cup defenders to victory, cleverly out generaled Captain Wringe, the boasted best English captain affoat, sending Reliance over the line 33 seconds behind the chal-lenger, but in the windward berth. In the first 20 minutes of sailing the defender showed her windward qualities, drawing up on even terms with the challenger, besides being about 200 yards to windward.

Then the storm broke, blotting out the racers and making the excursion fleet book like a line of phantom ships. For 30 minutes the rain came down in torrents, drenching the thousands of people on the steamers who were unable to find shelter in the crowded cabins. While the storm lasted the wind increased to 12 knots and those aboard the press boats, who caught occasional glimpses of the yachts as they smashed into the seas, saw that Reliance, with great geysers gushing from her bow, was footing faster and pointing higher, heeling less to the puffs than her more tender adversary. when the storm had passed the excursionists came out on deck to find weather bow of Shamrock III. She was never afterward headed.

During the last two hours of the race, when the wind had backed around to the west and was blowing straight off the land about four miles an hour. Reliance steadily increased her lead, rounding the turn to the stentorian chorus of the excursion fleet a mile ahead of Shamrock. Heading back for home close hauled, she had just reached Shamrock, still outward bound, when the race was officially

The work of the patrol fleet was perfect. Moving at right angles, line ahead and line abreast, the revenue cutters kept the yachts in the hollow of a moving angle as free from in-terference as if they had been sailing

Under the rules the first race, 15 miles to leeward or windward and return, is now postponed until Saturday.

Lipton Not Disappointed

Sandy Hook, Aug. 21.—Sir Thomas Lipton was the first of the owners to return to the Hook, coming back on the Erin with his guests. He said: I am not in the least disappointed with my boat or its efforts. The wind was so variable neither boat had a good chance and particularly mine with the smaller sail area. Wait till We get a good breeze."

The two single-stickers did not arrive at the Hook until after 6 o'clock. The captains of both boats refused to talk for publication and all Mr. Iselin would say was, "We are perfectly satisfied. We always have been.

Middleboro Flooded , Middleboro, Mass., Aug. 21.—A se vere rainstorm visited this town, and within about 10 minutes an immense quantity of water filled the Riveets. The sewers were inadequate to carry off the water and it backed up in the cellars of some of the stores and business blocks, doing consider-

SLOW COMMUNICATION Delays Information Regarding Co-

lomble's Attitude Toward Treaty

Washington, Aug. 21. - Minister Beaupre at Bogota has been asked by the state department to send more definite information concerning proceedings about the isthmian canal treaty, but there is no way of telling how long the message will be delayed owing to the interrupted telegraphic communication between Beneventura and Bogota. The fact that two messages of the same date reached the department with an interval of four days between them shows how irregular this mode of communication has The trouble scems to be become. with the land flues and it is understood that heavy tropical growth has

interfered with the wires. The only dispatch received yesterday from Minister Beaupro was dated the 12th, and was very indefinite, although it conveys the impression that further efforts are being made to recure favorable action upon the treaty.

The Costa Rica infinister called upon Acting Secretary Adec yesterday but it was stated that his visit was one of courtesy and had no reference to the isthmian canal.

Negroes Again Honor Washington Nashville, Aug. 20.—Some 1500 negroes, representing almost every section of the country, assembled here for the opening of the fourth annual convention of the National Negro Business league. The league put itself on record in reference to the recent disturbance at a Boston meeting, which was being addressed by Booker T. Washington. The program was suspended, and by a rising vote Wash. ington was re-elected president of the

The Jamuican Hurricane

Kingston, Jam., Aug. 18.-A slightly more hopeful feeling now prevails among the planters regarding the disastrous situation brought about by the recent hurricane. The work of clear-ing the hanana plantations is proceeding apace and a great quantity of pro-visions can be saved. Efforts are being made on all sides to retrieve the disaster, but thousands of the peasantry are still homeless.

No Danger of Friction

London, Aug. 21.--As a result of communications exchanged between Ambassador Choate and the foreign office here it is expected that a treaty will soon be signed referring to arbitration the question of the ownership of the group of islands off the coast of Borneo, claimed by both Great Britain and the United States. There is no danger of friction on the subject of their ownership.

Steel Trust's Acquisition

New York, Aug. 21.—The deal for the purchase of iron ore lands on the Mesaba range, Minnesota, by the United States Steel Corporation, is verified by local officials of the corporation. In all about 70,000,000 tons of excellent quality ore, much of it high grade bessemer, has been measured up on the land acquired, and it is estimated that an even larger yield will be obtained.

Woman to Go to State Prison

Fitchburg, Mass., Aug. 18.-in the superior criminal court here Mary E. Ambier pleaded guilty to the charge of murder in the second degree and she will be sentenced to state prison for life, her plea being accepted by the government. She was indicted on the charge of murder of her infant child at Rutland the latter part of January It was alleged she abandoned her infant to freeze.

New Scalling Champion

Worcester, Mass., Ang. 17 .- Frank B. Greer of the East Boston Athletic Association Boat club wrested the championship sculls from C. S. Titus of the Atalanta Roat club on Lake Quinsigamond so decisively that what had been anticipated as the most interesting feature of the annual regatta of the National Association of Amateur Carsmen proved almost a farce.

Bay State Gas Property at Auction Wilmington, Del., Aug. 21.-George W. Pepper, receiver of the Bay State Cas company, has sold the local property of that company, pursuant to an order of the United States court. The property was purchased by President Dolison of the Wilmington Gas and Electric company for \$25,000. The terms of the sale were cash.

College Men For the Army

Washington, Aug. 21.—Secretary Root has issued an order directing that the highest honor men from the six leading colleges, where army officers are detailed as military instructors, shall be eligible to appointment as second lieutenants in the army.

Salisbury at Death's Door

London, Aug. 21 -- Lord Sallsbury's condition is critical and there is little hope of his recovery. The end may be expected at any moment. Early last evening it was thought that he had already breathed his last, but he made a surprising rally.

Admiral Barker Will Investigate Washington, Aug. 20.-Acting Secretary Darling has advised Rear Admiral Barker that he has full authority to investigate the recent accident to the Massachusetts. It is expected that Admiral Barker will order a court of inquiry shortly.

Men Wanted For Navy

Washington, Aug. 20.-To expedite the work of recruiting, the navy department will authorize the pasting of idunional posters in various parts of the country and advertising estencively in the newspapers.

Collision of Electrics Marlboro, Mass., Aug. 20 .- A headon collision occurred on the Framingham, Southboro and Marlboro street railway about two miles from this city. Motorman Hamilton had a leg broken and was injured about the head and face. None of the passengers was injured, although consider-.....

WILLING TO YIELD

Turkey Wants Russians to Depart From Her Waters

GREECE ENTERS COMPLAINT

Says Her Subjects in Macedonia Sufsee More From Excesses Than Bulgarians or Turks--Skirmishing Appears to Be Vigorously Proceeding

Constantinopie, Aug. 21.-Tewsk Pasha, the Turkish foreign minister, visited the Russian ambassador, notified him that the Turkish government accepted all the Russian demands, and begged that the Russian squadron be withdrawn from Turkish waters.

The news of the impending arrival of the Russian squadron is spreading, notwithstanding the continued sup-pression of all telegrams and aunouncements on the subject. The general opinion of the Europeans here is that the time has arrived for a vigorous intervention and the abandonment of all semi-measures, which are regarded as the cause of the present rising.

According to the Turkish official reports, the strongest positions of the insurgents are at Krushevo, Merihore and Fiorina. Contrary to previous reports, it is now stated officially that Krushevo is still occupied by the insurgents.

The headquarters of the revolutionlets are in the Peristeri mountains, in the vicinity of Monastir. Women and children are not molested by the insurgents, who have destroyed only fortified dwellings occupied by rich Turks. It is not denied that they kill all Bulgarians and Greeks found acting as Turkish spies, but the strictest orders have been issued not to interfere with women or children.

Greece Makes Serious Complaint Athens, Aug. 21.-Premier Ralli has communicated to the representatives of the powers the gist of the reports made by Greek consuls in Macedonia in which it is stated that the Greek church schools and 322 houses belonging to Greeks at Ketcherl have been blown up by dynamite and burned and that a number of Greek subjects have been killed. M. Ralli appeals to the powers to terminate the excesses in Macedonia from which, he says, the

Bulgarians and Turks. Progress of the Revolution

Greeks are greater sufferers than the

Salonica, Aug. 21.-Although a week ago the Macedonian revolutionary committee notified the foreign consuls at Monastir that they were no longer able to prevent reprisals in vengeance for the Turkish atrocities, Boris Sarafoff, the Bulgarian leader, has now addressed a circular to the Turkish notables on behalf of the committee announcing that the insurgents will not attack the peaceful Turkish population except in self-defence.

Fugitive families from Krushavo who have arrived at Monastir, give terrible details of the situation which prevailed in the town of Kryshevo after its capture by the Türks. The lat-ter, they say, acted like fiends, running from house to house and street to street, slaughtering everybody they met. The town is now a head of ruins.

A dispatch from Burgas to The Autonomye says the town of Vasiliko, thirty miles south of Burgas, and the villages of Urunkoi and Poturnakovo are in flames, and the sound of cannon can plainly be heard from the Hulgarfan frontler.

Skirmishing is reported to be proceeding at Vodena and Ostroro, Small bands are operating in the Dofran district. A large band has crossed the frontier and is advancing on Drama, the commandant of which town has urgently requested reinforcements.

It is reported that the government has authorized the formation of a a of Christian Alicanian volun teers. Servian bands are said to be forming with a view to operations in Old Servia. Turkish families are leaving the Servian towns of Mish and Vranja and a number have arrived at Salonica.

Petition For Higher Wages Worcester, Mass., Aug. 18,-The conductors and motormen of the Boslon and Worcester street railway have petitioned the road for a uniform rate of \$2.50 for all regular men, an eighthour day, the eight bours to be completed within a period of 10 hours, and \$1.50 a day for spare men on waiting time.

Paced a Mile In 1:59 New York, Aug. 20.—The world's pacing record was broken by Dan Patch at Brighton Beach, making the mile in 1:59. The quarter was made in 281-4, the half in 583-4 and the three-quarters in 1:23 1-4. Star Pointer held the record, which was 1:591-4.

Contracted Glanders From Horse Providence, Aug. 19.—In an effort to save the life of a horse which was afficted with glanders, James A. Hills contracted the disease and died at his home at Silver Book as a result. The germs entered the man's eyes while he was attending the horse.

Republicans Favored Democrat Pawtucket, R. I., Aug. 20.-After one of the bitterest political campaigns in the history of this city, Bernard Keenan, a Democrat, was elected by the Republican council as a member of the board of license commissioners for a term of five years.

Indictment Against Trolley Crew Fitchburg, Mass., Aug. 20.-Leon B Downs and Daniel F. Daly, motorman and conductor on the Boston and Worcester trolley car that was the cause of the falal accident in Shrewsbury July 25, were indicted by the grand jury here on the charge of manslaughter in causing the death of Miss Frances Greer. Over 50 people were injured in the same accident.

ON MAYFLOWER

President Reviews Fighting Ships of Our Navy

A DISTINGUISHED COMPANY

Enjoy Chief Executive's Hospitality and Witness Beautiful Sight in Long island Sound-Accident to Tornedo Bost Destroyer

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 18.-President Roosevelt has enjoyed a unique distinction, and, at the same time, conferred a distinction unique upon the American navy. For the first time in the history of the country the president reviewed and Inspected, in time of peace, a great fleet of United States warships.

The ceremony was a magnifisent and impressive naval spectacle. It was unmarred by the slightest mishap until just at its conclusion, when the torpedo boat destroyer Barry rammed the destroyer Decatur, fortunately doing little damage. The incident, however, was exciting. It occurred just at the moment when the president was receiving congratulations upon the success of the maneuvers.

The review occurred on Long Island sound, 21-2 miles of the entrance to Oyster Bay, 'President Roosevelt, in company with Secretary of the Navy Moody, Admiral Dewey, Rear Admiral Taylor, Rear Admiral Rodgers, Captain Brownson, General Chaffee and General Barry, stood on the bridge of the Marhower as she steamed slowly down one column of the warships and up the other. The two columns extended 2500 yards. As the Mayflower passed each ship in the two columns the yards and rails of each work mained by jackles in white duck, the marines were paraded and presented arms, the president's salute of 21 guns was fired, the buglers sounded a flourish, the drummers gave four ruffles, the hand played "Hall Columbia" and the entire crew stood at salute. As the Mayflower swept past each ship the crew of the saluting vessel gave the president three cheers as the commander-in-chief of the army and navy of the United States.

At the conclusion of the review President Roosevelt received on board the Mayflower Rear Admirals Barker, Sands, Cogblan and Wise, He also received the captains and commanding officers of the 22 vessels in the fleet. He received also the naval attaches to the legations of four of the great powers.

Among the other guests of the presi-

dent on board the Mayflower were Assistant Secretary of War Sauger, Sir Thomas Lipton, C. O. Iselin and other prominent rachtsmen. President Roosevelt entertained his guests and all the commanding officers of the fleet at luncheon on board the Mayflower.

At the conclusion of the luncheon the officers returned to their ships. At 12.28 the president left the Mayflower in a barge for the flagship Kearsarge to return the call of Rear Admiral Barker. The Mayflower fired a president's salute as the barge cleared the ship. As the president went aboard the Kearsarge his flag was broken out at the main peak and every one of the twelve saluting ships in the fleet fired a president's salute. After chatting with Admiral Barker and casually inspecting the Kearsarge, the president, before visiting the other flagships, to return the calls of the rear admirals, made a short address to the enlisted

men and officers of the ship.

As the president and his party arrived and as they departed in turn from each of the four flagships, the Kearsarge, Olympia, Yanken and Texas, every one of the saluting ships in the fleet fired a salute of 21 guns. During the entire ceremonies of the day 2604 shots were fired, all from etx pounders.

Upon the return of the president to the Mayflower the vessel got under way and steamed eastward for several miles, coming to anchor then in order that the ficet might pass in review. The vessels of the fleet welghed anchor and in single column, headed by the Kearsarge, steamed slowly past the Mayflower. The yards and rails of every vyssel were manned, the marines were paraded, and the bands played "Rail Columbia." President Roose velt with his distinguished guests re viewed the fleet from the Mayflower's bridge. All were afforded an admirable opportunity to view the ships.

President Roosevelt and all of his guests were enthusiastic over the appearance and action of the fleet. The president remarked that the maneuvers of the day proved the efficiency of the fleet, which he regarded as higher than it ever had been in the history of the country.

Carpenters Lose Their Strike Waltham, Mass., Aug. 18.-The strike of the carpenters of this district, which began May 1, has been called off. The trouble included the workmen of Wal tham, Mattapan, Newton, Weston and Needham. The men struck because a demand for an increase from \$2.80 to \$3 a day was refused. The master bullders made no concessions.

Rum-Crez d Ban's Oyed Springfield, Mass., Aug. 17.—While crazed with drink Michael McElligott shot at his wife, missing her, wounded his 4-months-old thild which the woman was holding in her arms. As the bullet did not strike any vital organs there is a possibility that it may recover. McElligott was arrested.

To Tell on Heb me Springfield, Mass., Aug. 21.- In an effort to have the demand of the striking machinists of the Boston and Albany division of the New York Central railroad brought before the head officials of the company, the executive committee of the Machinists International union has gone to New York for the purpose.

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The Chapters of the Public Laws are numbered continuously from the Guneral Laws, Eswision of 1591.]

CHAPTER IIII. CHAPTER IIII.

AN ACT In Ammodiment of an Act Entitled "Of the Cierks of the Supreme Court," Being Chapter 25 of the General Laws of Rhode Island; and Also In Amendment of an Act Entitled "Of New Trists," Being Chapter 251 of the General Laws of Rhode Island; (Passed April 17, 1903)

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

follows: Section 1, Section 17, chapter 25, of the Section Laws is amended so us to read

he fullows:
"Rec. If. The chief justice of the suprene court, acting with as many of the
associate justices of said court as is practical, shall appoint a sufficient number of
competent shorthand writers who shall be competent shorthand writers who shall be known as stenographic clerks, and who shall hold office during the pleasure of said court. One of said clerks shall be designated chief stenographic clerk. All of said clerks shall be duly engaged like other clerks of said deart.

Sec. 2. Section 18, chapter 22, of the General Laws is unreaded so as to read as

follows:
"Sec. 18. Buch clerks, or some "See, 18. Such cierks, or some one of them, shall report stenographically the proceedings in the trial of every action or proceeding, civil or criminal, in the common pleas division, and shall report stenographically the proceedings in the trial of such actions or study behalf before a single justice of said division, and shall receive as compensation therefor a sum not exceeding six deliars per day, to be allowed, by a justice of said court and paid by the general treasurer upon the order of state nutitor. Each such clerk shall also, upon the order of any justice of the supreme court, transcribe his notes of the supreme court, transcribe his notes of such report, to be filed with the papers in the case, and shall receive a reasonable compensation therefor, not exceeding five compensation therefor, not exceeding five cents for each one hundred words thereof, to be allowed by a justice of said court, companion in the received words thereof, to be allowed by a justice of said court, to be poid in the manner aforestid. Each such clerk shall also make a transcript of the whols or any part of such report at the request of either party to such action or proceeding, and when completel, and within the time limited by the court for filing the same under the provisions of section d, chapter ZI, of the General Laws, shall immediately deliver the same to the party ordering the same or to the attorney of record of said party, and for such service shall receive a reasonable compensation, not exceeding ton cents for each one hundred words thereof, to he allowed by said court by general rule or special order and paid for by the party ordering the same in such manner as said court by general rule or special order may direct; and in ones such transcript is used in subsequent proceedings in said cause the cost of the same may be allowed by any justice of the division in which said cause is pending, as a part of the costs in anid cause. The chief stanographic clerk, in addition to any of the notice in anide cause. The chief stanographic clerks to the courts in which had from service in court whenever it uppears to be necessary, and shall do and perform service in court whenever it uppears to be necessary, and shall do and perform service in court whenever it uppears to the necessary, and shall do and perform service in court whenever it uppears to the necessary, and shall do and perform service in court whenever it uppears to the necessary, and shall do and perform service in court whenever it uppears to the necessary, and shall do and perform such other duties an said court may direct, and shall receive therefor such additional compensation as the suprems court may determine, not to oxesset the sum of five hundred dollars in any one page."

year."

Sec. 2. Section 5, chapter 251, of the General Laws is amended so as to read as fol-

"First. Within five days after verdict or decision rendered he shall file nolice in writing in the oley's office that he intends to prefer such petition.
"Second. If such petition be founded upon rulings, or upon evidence and the Fellings thereon, to be brought upon the record, he shall file for nilowance in the circk's office a statement of such rulings, or of such syldence and the rulings thereon within five days, but that the justice who tried the cause may, within said five days or within any extension thereof from time to time on motion therefor, extend that time of filing such statements to such time as he may prescribe; or, in case of said division may extend the time in like manner. Provided, however, that in no case shall said time be extended to more than six weeks from the end of said the days seep that in case the terminuition of ends period falls in yreation or within fitting days next prior to vecation, the time may be further extended to the end of vacation; provided further, however, that in case of the stenographic circk who made such statements of the crificance and the rulings thereon, and for other causes, the appellate diffusion or the supreme made such statements of the criticate and the rulings thereon, and for other causes, the appellate division of the supremerourt may, on motion therefor by the party ordering such statement of the evidence and the rulings thereon, for cause shows and after notice to the other parties to said cause, grant a further extension in its discretion.

"Third. Within rifteen days after the fling of such statement or statements, a petition for a new trial shall be filed setting forth specifically the grounds for such new trial, or reasons for entering judgment.

"In case all those stops have been taken, judgment shall be stayed; but in case of any default in any step, judgment shall be entered as if such claims bad never

in case all those stops have been taken, judgment shall be stayed; but in case of any default in any step, judgment shall be entered as if such claim had never been made, and with or without additional costs, as said division shall deem proper.
"Fourth, in case there he no such default, the clerk of said division shall certify all the payers in said cause to the appealate division of the suprema court sitting in Providence, Newport, or South Kingstown, as herein provided.
"If such case arise in Newport or Washington county, such petition shall be heard by the appeliate division at Newport or South Kingstown, respectively, unless the parties otherwise agrees; and such petition shall come up for assignment for trial in said appellate division on the first Monday of the month (oxclusive of August and September), whose first Stonday, or on the first day of the allting of said division at Newport or South Kingstown, respectively, which first day occurs next after five days from the filing of such petition, as said petition may be heard at Providence, Newport, or South Kingstown, respectively."
See, i. This net shall take effect on the third Monday of July, A. D. 1903.

CHAPTER III2.

AN ACT In Amendment of Chapter 234 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, "Of Enlaries and Cherled Assistance," as Amended by Section 1 of Chapter 63 of the Public Laws of Rhode Island.

(Passed April 17, 124)

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

follows:
Bection 1. Section 6 of chapter 23 of the General Laws, as amended by section 1 of chapter 23 of the Public Laws of Rholo Island, is needly amended to road as fol-

Island, is hereby amended to read as follows:
"Sec. 4. The clerk of the common pleas
division of the supreme court in Providence county is hereby authorized and
suppowered to employ such additional asfisiance as he may require in his office in
recording, indexing, and attending upon
the files of said division, at an annual expense not exceeding twenty-dwe hundred
dollars; and the state auditor is hereby
directed to draw his orders upon the general treasurer in payment for such asmetance on vouchers approved and certified by the clerk of said division. Baid
clerk of said common pleas division, with
the approval of a justice of the supreme
court presiding at said division, may deskenate and appoint one or more assistants with auctority to administre onths
to parties, mitnesses, and others, as required in the conduct of the proceedings
of mild division."

Sec. 2. All axis and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repeated, and
this act shall take effect from and after
its passage.

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tion to hap it. 1897, Relating to the Board of Registration in Dentistry. (Primed April 17, 1803). It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

(Primed April 17, 1805). It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Beddion I. Section 5 of Chapter 470 of the Public Laws is hereby amended so as to rend as follows:

"Bec. 5. Complaints for the violation of the provisions of this chapter may be made by any person, and if made by a member of said board, said member shall be exempt from giving surety for costs on any complaint made as aforensid."

Bec. 2. Every practicing doutst shall keep his certificate of ticense, or, in case it be lost, a duplicate thereof, posted in some conspicuous place or manner, so as to be in plain view of his patients; and every person, firm, or corporation owning or carrying on a dental business in any office, or other room or rooms, shall have, if a person, his or her full mane, if a firm the full among of the members thereof, and if a corporation, the full corporate name thereof, exhibited in plain, readable letters in such office or other room or rooms. Wheever violates any of the provisions of this ascilen shall be fined not exceeding twenty dollars.

Sec. 3. This net shall take effect upon its passage.

CHAPTER III.

AN ACT In Amendment of Section 3, Chapter 51; of the Public Laws, Entlided "An Act to Secure a More Uniform High Standard in the Public Schools of This South

This poster (Passed April 17, 1903)
It is enacted by the General Assembly as

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. Section 2 of Chapter 544 of the Public Lawa is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Sec. 2. No person shall be amployed to teach, as principal or assistant, in any school supported wholly or in part by public money unless such terson shall have a certificate of qualification fessed by or under the authority of the sinte bond of education. And in case any rilty or town shall pay or cause to be paid any of the public money to any person for teaching as storesaid who did not, at the time of such leaching, hold such certificats, then the commissioner of public schools shall deduct a sum equal to the amount so paid from the amount of the state's money due, or which may thereafter become due, such city or town before giving his order in favor of such city or town for any of the public money under the provisions of Chapter 53 of the General Lawa."

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect on July first. A. 1. 988, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith ure hereby repealed.

CHAPTER IIIS.

AN ACT In Amendment of Section 2 of Chapter 557 of the Public Laws, Entitled "An Act in Protect the Owners of Cans, Buttles, and Other Versels Used In the Sale of Mineral Walers, Milk, Reer, Cider, Wine, or Other Bevarages and Compounds, Passed March 2, 189." [Passed April 17, 188.]

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. Section 2 of Chapter 57 of the Public Laws, passed March 3, 1839, is hereby amended an as to read as follows:

"Bec. 2. It is hereby declared to be unlawful, for any person, copartnership, or body corporate, other than the manufacturer, bottler, or dealer whose name, mark, device, or other designation of ownership is unon any vessel or receptacle mentioned in section 1 of this act, and which has been filed and published as a negressial, either by themselves or through any again or employee, to buy, sell, offer for sale, take, give, receive, handle in the course of business except when containing the liquid therein placed by the owner, hottler, or manufacturer, hirs, rent, lond, transport; carry in wagners, carte, push carts, or other vehicles, or to take or collect from ash or garbage receptacles, from public or private dumps, while a march follow or private dumps. ny tito owner, notiter, or manutacturer, hira, rent, lond, transport, carry in wagors, carrie, push carts, or other vehicles, or to take or collect from sah or garbage receptacles, from public or private dumps, cellers, yards, lots, or premises, or to keep in stock or otherwise store or dispose of, deal or traffic in the same or any parts or places of the same, githout the written confident of said manufacturer, bottler, or dealer, respectively, whole name, mark, or device, or other designation of ownership shall be therein of thereon. And without such written comsont it shall be unlawful to wilituily break, deatroy, or otherwise injure any such vessel or receptacle, or to wilituily mar or erash, sover up, conceal or resources any such neme, brand, mark, established and trade or such vessel or receptacle, or without such written consent, for the purpose of trade or gain, to fill any such bottle, vessel, or other receptacle with any heavening contained a prescription may be reflicted for any medicinal purposes.

"And if any of the within described bottles, vessels, and receptacles are found in possession of any person, copartnership, or body corporate other than the manufacturer, bottler, dealer, or legal purchaser or purchasers or seceiver thereof without the written consent of such manufacturer, bottler, dealer, or legal purchase or purchasers or seceiver thereof without the written consent of such manufacturer, bottler, dealer, or legal purchaser or purchasers or seceiver thereof without the written consent of such manufacturer, bottler, dealer, or legal purchases or seceiver thereof without the written consent of such manufacturer, bottler, dealer, or legal purchase.

"Any person offending against the provisions of this section shall be punished by imprisonreset for not mare than three months, or by a fine of one dollar for each and every such vessel or, receptacle so filed, sold, given held, disposed of, or trafficked in, or from which the name, davice, or other designation of ownership by imprisonreset for

CHAPTER 1116.

AN ACT In Amendment of Chapter 664 of the Public Laws, Entitled "An Act Relating to Juvenile Offenders and Providing For the Appointment of Probation

ing For the Appointment of Probation Officers."

(Passed April II, 1893)
It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:
Section I. Section 2 of Chapter 661 of the Public Laws, passed at the January session, A. D. 1803, is hereby amended so as to reaft as follows:
"Sec. 2. In cases against such juvenile offenders, no court fees shall be allowed or taxed against the respondent in any criminal case in any court in this state, and no costs shall be taxed against the respondent in any such case for the services of fees as witness or otherwise of any officer of any of the cities of Providence, Pawtucket, Central Palls, Woomsocket, or Newport, such officer having a salary of fased compensation from any of said cities. All other officers shall for service of process for travel, or for attendance in court in all such juvenile oases be cutilted to receive the regular fees provided by law for service of process, for travel, or attendance in court is in other similar cases, and the coats in other similar cases, and the coats therefor shall be taxed against the respondent."

Sec. 2. Suction 4 of Chapter 66 of the

ther for shall be taxed against the respondent."

Size 2 Section 8 of Chapter 364 of the Public Laws, passed at the January seption, A. D. 1898, is hereby amended so not read as follows:

"Sec. 8. No fee shall be atlowed for the commitment of any such jovenite offender by any officer of any of the cities of Fravildence, Pawtucket, Central Palls, Woonsteket, or Newport, such officer having a salary or tixed compusation from any of axid either but an allowance for travil si the rate of ten cent for each mile traviled with such juvenile offender in custody may be paid to any court officer or production officer designated for that purpose by the court from which the commitment process issues? Proviled, that such allowance for travel shall in no case be laxed assainst such juvenile offs nder; and provided, also, that in case of the commitment of any person under the provisions of Chapter 180 of the Public Lows, the truant officer of any city or town shall be centified to the fees provided for its passage.

CHAPTER III3

AND ACT IN Americant of the Judic lower the trainit efficient of any city or town shall be entitled to the fees provided for in said chapter for such commutant by him.

Esc. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage, and all acts and barts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

CHAPTER III.

AN ACT to Validate the Acts of Leonard W. Borton as a Notary Public and us a Justice of the Pence.

(Passed April 17, 1993.)

It is enected by the General Assembly as follows:

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows: Section I. All acts, matters, and things done or performed by Lonard W. Horton, of Providence, as a notary public in the state of thode Island, and as a justice of the peace for the city of Providence, in the county of Providence, and state aforestid, appointed to both of said offices by the avector in June. A. D. state aforestid, appointed to both of sale offices by the governor in June, A. D. 1992, and dely commissioned to both, but duly engaged on neither, are hereby declared to be as walld and effectual in at respects it if said Leon rd. W. Horton the engagement prescribed by the Gestein Laws is fore entering upon the duties of said offices, providing the same chalf not infect any punding little aton.

AN ACT authorizing the Town of New Shore-ham to beste Bonds. (Pussed A pril 17, 1998.) It is enacted by the General Assembly as tol-

Swerton, I. The town of New Shoreham Is hereby withorized and empowered to issue bonds ander its corporate name and scal form amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars. The said bonds shall be signed by the town treasurer of said town, and the proceeds setsing from the said of said bonds shall be spelled to the town treasurer of said town and shall be applied in discharging the fleating debt of said town, but no purchaser of said bonds shall be applied in discharging the fleating debt of said town, but no purchaser of said bonds shall be the any way bound to see to, the proper supilication of the proceeds thereof.

sald bonds shall be in any way bound to see to, the proper application of the proceeds thereof.

Sic. 2. The denomination and form of said bonds, their rate of interest, the time said piace of payment of the honds and of the interest thereon, the manner of said payments, whether in post coin of the United States or in currency, the time and manner in which said bonds shall be such in such said, shall be presented by an ordinance of the lower connect of said town the united francish town the properties of the corn counter to make the properties of the control of said town the said town there are the properties of the control of said town the said town meeting in said town there are the said town there are the said town meeting.

CHAPTER 1127.

AN ACT Repeating Chapters 1087 and 1083 of the Publio Laws. (Passed April 14, 1903.) It is enacted by the General Assembly as for-

boss:
SECTION 1. Chapters 1877 and 1885 of the Public Laws, passed respectively April 4 and becomiser 11, 1992, are hereby repeated.
SEC, 2. This act shall take effect on and after its passage, and all sets and parts of acts inconsistent berewith are hereby repeated, and such acts and parts of acts that have been repeated by said chapters 1837 and 1983 are hereby re-enceded in the second of the second of

AN ACT to Authorize Licenses. (Passed April 17, 1935.) It is enacted by the General Assembly as fol

It is educted by the General Assembly as follows:

Section 1. The electors of the town of New Shoreham who are qualified to vote in the decition of all general officers may at the election of all general officers may at the election of general officers cast their ballots for or against the granting of ficenses for the sale of intoxicating liquous in said town from the first day of June to the first day of October in each year: Provided, a number of the qualified electors equal to fifteen percention of the vote cast for general officers at the feavilier next preceding shall petition the fown clerk therefor at least twenty days prior of said election; and the town clerk shall upon auch petition insert a proposition, partialing for taking such vote, in the warrant calling the town meeting, and shall at least them that the question, "Will this town grantifier of the sale of intoxicating fiquors from the first day of June to the first day of October?" Is to be submitted to the vote of the people in said town.

Sec. 2. Its majority of the ballots occast stant such election be assistant the constitution of the constitution of the people in said town.

October: Is to be submitted to the vote of the people in said town.

SEC 2. If a majority of the ballots so cast at any such election be against the granting of such licenses, no license shall be granted, nor until such town shall vote at some sulsequent election of general officers to grant such licenses; but if the majority of the ballots cast at any such election shall be for the granting of such licenses, then licenses may be granted in said town for the time above mentioned, next after such election and during such time of each year, until still town shall vote at some subsequent election of general others not to grant licenses for said time.

new teacher, taking a mental inven-

She was a bit nervous. It was her first school. The children made her "fldgety," they stared at her so hard and watched so marrowly.

occupation to begin the first day. She regretted bitterly that she had not arranged some definite plan of exactalgn. Then her face brightened. She would knew. Question followed question, touching on diversubjects.

1870 asked the teacher, smiling coax-

ham aproposed decembly the back seat waved her hand wildly and worked ber mouth in frantic endeavor to get "teacher" to look at her. Well, what is it?

"A skeleton," said the tot, twisting her apron in her fingers, "Is a man who has his insides outside and his out-sides oft,"-- Denver Times.

Then She Got Mad.

She (having nothing else to say)—It's famy how we ever came to think so unch of each other.

He-Funny? It's positively ridicus to the same of the same

In the royal manufactory of pottery s, Bexony, the work was formerly carried on with the utmost se to prevent the process coming known elsewhere. The establishment was a complete fortress, the portruits of which was not raised day or night, no stranger being permitted to enter for any purpose whatever. Every workman, even the chief inspector, was sworn to allegee. This injunction was formally repeated every month to the superior officers em-ployed, while the workmen had constantly before their eyes in large lot-ters the warning motto, "Be Secret Unto Death." It was well known that any person divulging the process would be

Rayal Cambiers.

It is exected by the General Assembly as follows:
Section 1. George S. Tingley, quartermaster, brigade R. L. M., with the rank of
captain, is hereby entitled to all the rights
ond pricileges mentioned in Chapter 256
of the General Laws to which to would
have been existed to had he been in continuous service in Rhode Island millia
from September 25, 1885, to the present
time; the said George S. Tingley having
been in continuous service from September 19, 1835, to the present time, with the
serveption of the time between November
11, 1901, and April 18, 1902.

See 2, This set shall take effect immediately: his defeats with bluff good humor. On and would play night after tight and even on a Sunday till daylight, while singers entertained the company from a gallery. Even the cold William of Ovange was a gambler and liked nothing better than to spend the day racing

> proved of playing for money, an aver-sion and opinion in nowise shared by his son and successor, who is said to have lost more than £\$00,000 before be attained his unjority.

> > Rits of Information.

When very thirsty and only a small amount of water is at hand drink with a spear or through a small hole in the early of a canteen. It will do as much good as when taken in large mouth fuls. Boil nutrid water in charcoal before drinking. Indians parify all wa ters by plunging het from and rocks Into them.

small the and huddles over it. A white man builds a big the and cannot get near it.

When you wish to roll up your shirt sleeves do not turn the cuffs inside ont, but turn them inward or under, and they will remain incled up withour being touched.

the feet with a dampened towel or raveled rope so that their distance apart shall be about two-thirds the diameter of the trunk.

Royalty and Chess.

kings and queens for centuries, superseding latterly the royal game of chess which tilled up the leisure moments of William the Conqueror, Queen Elizaboth and Charles 1. The latter was so absorbed in his favorite pastime when the news reached him that Scotland had determined to sell him to the English parliament that, though aware what the intelligence boded, he calmly played the game to the end. Queen Victoria preferred chess to cards, though during her old age sho found diversion by playing "patience." A keen chess player, the great Napoleon would not submit to be beaten, and if he sound his skill ineffective would throw board and chessmen angrily on the ground.

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tion.

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It was the first day of school. The bell had tapped, and the little children of the secondary primary were sliting upright in their seats, bands properly folded and with round eyes fixed on the

who knows what a skeleton The little girl wearing the pink ging-

imprisoned for life in the castle of Koenigstein. Even the king blussiff when he took strongers of distinction to visit the works was enjoined to se-

creey. One of the foremen, however, escaped and assisted in establishing a manufactory in Vienna, from which the secrets sprend all over Germany.

Henry VIII, would gamble away property and money recklessly, taking

and the night playing earls.

George III, detested cards and disap

When an Indian is cold he builds a

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Life in a Monitor.

Ex-Beeretary John D. Long, in one of his articles upon "The New American Navy" now being published in the Ontlook, gives the following interesting facts about the voyages of the monitors Monterey and Monadnock from this country to the Phillippines, where they arrived just at the close of the war, having made, as Mr. Long says, the most hazardous voyages of that war:

"Thirteen days were occupied by the Monterey in making Honolulu. The Monterey in making Honolulu. The Monterey in making Honolulu. The Monterey in making Barn Francisco. Both vessels made repairs and received supplies at the Hawthan capital. On July I the Monterey stated for Manilla, and the Monadnock followed on July 13. The experience of one ship was the experience of both. Party in tow, party under their own steam, machinery requiring constant attention, the towing bridle challing and repairs necessary, they labored toward Manilla.

attention, the towing bridle challing and repairs necessary, they labored toward Mandla.

"The trip through the tropics," Capt. Whiting states in his official report, was very trying on officers and men. The temperature and sea water has been 85 to 87 degrees, the temperature of the air 75 to 65 degrees, and with the engines and bollers in use there was no challes for the heat to radiate. Hence the temperature of the state of the ship have been very high—fire radiate. Hence the temperatures In the ship have been very high—five room from 110 degrees to 130 degrees, engine room 18 to 140 degrees, dynamo room 105 to 130 degrees, erew space 89 to 99 degrees, lower ward 89 to 100 degrees, cabin stateroom 95 to 99 degrees, Men have been overcome in the road bunkers, fire room, and overcome grees. Men have been overcome in the coal bunkers, fire room, and ovaporating room with heat exhaustion and the health of the ship's company has been affected by living in such high temperatures."

temperatures."
These hardships were common to both vessels, although little notice of them has been taken, and were much more prolonged and therefore severe than those on board of ships which had more glory. On the Monterey, and the same must have been substantially true of the Monadhock; the hatches were off only once in 50 days, and on that occasion the deck was so hot that it was necessary to play the hose on it to keep the pitch from bolling out. The monitors ran at times ing out. The monitors ran at times aubmerged under water.

Couches and Nerves.

Couches have saved more minds and

Couches have saved more minds and nervous systems than all the doctors and medicines put together.

It is the best refuge that the overworked housekeeper has, did she but know it; and the only fault f have to find with women is that, as a rate, they do not use their couches half caucigh.

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When distracted by the infinite cares
of the household and worrled over this
bill and that a woman should have a
place where she can throw herself
down pand, stretched at ease, allow her
troubles to straighten themselves out of
their own accord.
By these means hysteria is avoided.

By these means hysteria is avoided, beauty is preserved, and the women's chances for eternal salvation are helped tremendously.—Philadelphia North American

Infection by Drinking.

One of the new theories of hygiene that dectors are teaching to persons who have children to rare is concerned the comparatively unimportant duty of the comparatively unimportant duty of drinking out of a glass in the proper way. The new way of drinking according to the physicians who leach it, avoids any contact of the lips with the rim of the glass says "the Minicapolis Journal." The lips are held so that the rim of the glass touches the outside of the tower lip. By the usual method of drinking the glass is held between the two lips. The newer way is urged by doctors as a means of avoiding any possible infection from using a glass that had been previously handled by a sufferer from a contagious disease.

Hats and Hair.

Undoubtedly baldness is on the in-crease, particularly among young men. The sale of wigs gets larger every

One of the leading causes of baldness is the stiff hat. Bowler and silk hats exert a firm pressure around the head, preventing the circulation of the blood. Soft hats would be less hurtful; no hat would be still better. Most of the arti-ficial hair sold in this country comes from the heads of peasant girls of Europe, Hair cutters constantly go about making barglans for this bair.

These girls never were hats.

There are more bold heads in the cities, where still hats are worn, than in
the rural districts, where the men wear
a looser head covering.—Philadelphia

A whale's appetite is phenomenal. His chief diet consiste of jellyrish. He has simply to open his mouth and paddle along leisurely in order to take in jellyrish by the wagon load. Such is the method adopted by the whalebone whale. The sperm whale, on the contrary, captures huge squids weighing often several tons. Like his brother, the whalebone whale, he must be constantly on the lookout for food; otherwise he would staye. As many as fourteen seals have been taken from a thirty-foot "killer." Other fishes of enormous appetites are not uncommon. The bluefish, for example, thrives on eardines and other small fish. Assuming that one bluefish eats ten small fish a day, it has been figured that it requires ten billion sardines to feed the one billion bluefish on our coasts every summer. eummer.

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THE JUNGLE MAN

While I was hunting in the province of Bengal with officers belonging to the Seventh native infantry we got word one day that a wild man had been seen in a jungle ten miles away.

The man was a native who had served for several years us a soldier, and he had a good military record and was known to be of peaceful disposition. One day while on a scout through the forest with his company he was bitten on the neck by a spider. The wound gave him great pain, and he was sent back to the hospital for treatment. He was under the surgeon's care for ten days and was discharged as cured, but one morning when at drill be suddenly began whooping and shouting and acting in a singular manner. When his comrades attempted to restrain bim be became violent, and, casting them off, he holted across the parade and down the road. He was pursued, but he gained the forest, a mile away, ahead of all, and was successful in biding bimself. A long search had been made for him at the time, but without avail.

We at once moved across the country and located in a village, and next morning a dozen natives were sent out on a scout. They were back before noon with the news that the wild man had moved his retreat about five miles to the east. He was evidently afraid of us. He had taken refuge in another Jungle near another village, and we broke camp and rode down to the place and beat up the thickets for hours.

We caught sight of the man once or twice, but he was a long way off and acted as if he suspected a trap. Next day he was twelve miles away, and in the course of a week he had trav-eled sixty miles. When he moved we moved after him. We attempted no trick and made no demonstration to nların or unger blin.

Our persistent pursuit had the effect of putting him in a passion, however, for on the sixth day of the chase, as we were en route to a village near which he had gone into hiding, he entered the place shouting in fury and brained five people with his club. He had stripped off most of his clothing naked from the waist up. After killing the people be fired several buts and ran away and bid in a ravine.

It was now plainly evident that we must change our tactics. If the man was enraged he might attack as at any moment, and if he did so we should have to fire on him in self de-

The ravine in which he was biding was about a mile long, and at the lower end it opened into a path much used by the natives. If the wild man, was not hunted out or alarmed he would probably come down the ravine and enter this path.

After looking the ground over it was decided to dig a pitfall and set some traps along the path, and soon after noon a force of natives was set at work. They day a pit twenty feet long by fourteen deep, and when ready It was covered over the same as if to entch a tiger. A few yards to north and south of the pit we arranged nooses which led over the limbs of trees, and by sundown we felt sure of our man if he came that way. Two soldiers and three natives were hidden near the pit to act as sentinels and give the alarm, and all was quiet in

the camp and village at the usual hour. At 2 o'clock in the morning we were turned out by an alarm from the sentinels, and our whole force at once has tened to the pit. The wild man had come down the ravine and fallen into the plt. Notwithstanding its depth he was out again in a moment, and but for the trap on the north side we should have lost him. He ran into that, was caught by the leg and suspended in the air, and when we arrived he was screaming and shouting and cursing in a way to make one's

bair stand up. He was defenseless, but for a long time no one dared to go near him. He made the most tremendous efforts to escape, and but for our throwing his bend and drawing them tight be would soon have regained his liberty. When we finally had him fast and secure he had fired himself out and was a pittable object to behold. He had been heard to use a few English words, but no one had heard ldm make sentences before. Uls speech came back to him as we stood around him, and he used many of the commands given a soldier at drill.

We remained in camp four days after capturing the wild man, hoping to subdue him and make him presentable at headquarters, but he was worse than a wild beast. Not a stitch of clothing could be kept on him, and he had to be bound hand and foot all the time. He preferred raw meat to cooked, and when fed he would growl and rour as If the sight of meat put him in a frenzy.

The surgeon with us could make nothing of his case, and we finally got a cart and started for home to turn the poor fellow over to the proper authoritles. On the second day of the journey the cart broke down, and as it did so the wild man burst his bonds and escaped into the jungle. We put in ten days hunting for him, but got no trace

and finally abandoned all pursuit.
Six months later he was seen once or
twice in the foothills to the north, but no pursuit was organized, and if not head he is today wandering about the forests and jungles like a wild beast.

How he could have escaped death during the two years I write of is a singular thing, as the country was infested with poisonous serpents and savage beasts, but when he was our captive he had not a scar on his body and was evidently in the best of health. M. QUAD.



TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

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"With your unbrells."

"Well, with the unbrells I've been druggiets refind the money if it falls to care-druggiets all week."—Philadelphia

Press.

A BIT OF PANTOMIME.

Max O'Mell's Opinion of Four Posples Given in Gestusen.

"When Max O'llell came to Montreal tome years ago," said a man from that city to a Detroit Journal contributor, we fixed up a little joke on him. We had noticed how gravefully he could unite a constile criticism with a compli-ment, a faculty that enabled him to say the sharpest things without offending the people he was criticising. We were police to put the faculty to a test.

"We had blin lunch with us, and there were at the table besides himself ng Englishman, a Scotchman, nu Irishman and a French-Canadian. When we got our guest off his goard we demuraled an Lonest opinion of the different races we represented. As the opin-ion had to be given in the presence of all four, the situation for him was a rather delicate one. But it never seemed to trouble Lim, and he gave his opinion without a mement's hesitation.

to The Scotelman, he said, and he clinebed his right band lightly and pretended to try to force it open with his left. 'The Englishman'- and he went through the same performance, opening the hand at the end after an apparent struggle. 'The Irishman'--and he held out his hand wide open, with the palm upward. 'The Frenchman'- and he made a motion with both hands as if he were emptying them on the table.

"There was not a word of explanation, but we all understood thoroughly and had a hearty laugh. Max O'Rell had maintained his reputation."

A Lincoln Joke. One of Lincoln's visitors in the early days of his administration says:

"He walked into the corridor with us, and, as he bade us goodby and thanked — for what he had told him, he again brightened up for a moment and asked blin in an abrupt kind of way, laying his hand as he spoke with a queer but not uncivil familiarity on his shoulder, 'You haven't such a thing as a postmaster in your pocket, have you?

stared at him in astonishment and I thought a little in alarm, as if he suspected a sudden attack of insanity. Then Mr. Lincoln went on: 'You see, it seems to be kind of unnatural that you shouldn't have at least a postmaster in your pocket. Everybody I've seen for days past has had foreign ministers collectors and all kinds, and I thought you couldn't have got in here without having at least a postmaster get into your pocket."-"The True Abrahuin Lincoln."

Enormous Strength of Musbrooms A curious instance of the wonderful force exerted by growing vegetation is related in the Gardeners' Magazine, This force seems all the more remarksble when exerted by light and unsubstantial mushrooms, but does not appear so extraordinary when caused by the expansion of a hard wood tree. Some half hardy annuals were sown in a frame just cleared of a winter crop in the gardens of an English park and the lights closed to hasten germination. Some days afterward signs of cracking were observed in the brickwork, and gradually a block weighing in the aggregate one and one-half hundredweight was pushed out of position. After cutting out several bricks a mass of mushrooms was found 8 pounds 3 ounces in weight growing in the center of the wall. The mycellum had run freely in the mortar and on the inner face of the bricks.

The Frag's Feeding.

Mr. Frog bus an enormous mouth for his size, and if we were to put a finger inside it we would find that he has a row of teeth in the upper jaw and that his soft white tongue, unlike our own is attached in front and is free behind. When he wishes to catch any insect he throws out the free end of the tongue, then draws it in so rapidly that it is difficult to see whether he has been successful or not. As the tongue is coated with a gummy fluid, the insect sticks to it and is carried back into the mouth, which closes upon it like the door of a tomb. Frogs, however, are not limited to one mode of feeding. often leap oven mouthed upon larger prey, which includes besides insects small fish, mice, small ducklings, polliwogs and they frogs. - Woman's Home Companion.

Friends.

Put your heart into the search for a friend, freely offer assistance to any of the crowd who needs it, and, sooner or later, you will find a hand outstretched toward yours, and your soul will meet its likeness. Do not imitate those who, shut up in their individuality as in a citadel, indifferent to all passers by, yet send forth on the four winds of heaven the melancholy cry, "There are no friends!" They do exist, be sure of it, but only for those who seek, for those deeply interested in the search and for those who do not remain content to spin out the thread of life in a corner like a spider's web, intended to catch

Medenty of Grentness. Here the eminent statesman who was dictating the particulars of his early career to the reporter paused for

a moment. "This will be the place, I think," he said, "to insert the statement that I don't like to talk about myself and that I mention these facts with evident reluctance."-Chicago Tribune.

The Best Thing. "What do you mean by kissing me,

Herr Frisch?"

"My aunt told me to. She told me to come and help myself to the best thing could find in the kitchen."-Fliegende Blatter.

Wherever there is authority there is a natural inclination to disobedience.

He Needed the Floney.

Bookkeeper—I would like a little more salary, sir. You eee, I'm married now, sir— Employer—And need the increase

for your family?
?Bookkeeper—No, sir; for myeelf.
You see, my wife knows just what I'm
getting now!

ODDITIES IN PET NAMES.

Cat and Pig Are the Terms Coveted by French Women.

"If a man in this country calls his wife a cut the foundation is laid for a divorce suit" said the man who trav-"But a French woman takes the same word as a term of endearment. It's odd how the choicest phrases in the vocabulary of affection of one people are used for quite an opposite purpose by another nation. One of the most famillior and most coveted phrases of endearment among the French, for instance, is 'my little pig,' and 'my little puppy dog' is also well liked.

"But if the Frenchman were to call Mme. Narcisse duck, as an American husband might lovingly call his better half, she would be very much offended. One of the oddest pet names that I ever heard of was that used by a famous German general, who always called his wife 'my little kernel of coffee,' They were divorced at last, however, and a cynic said that the general's pet name should have been 'my dear little stack of bayonets,' for the lady was said to have had a very sharp tongue. I know a devoted disciple of Walton, who, when writing to his wife while on a fishing expedition, calls her 'my dear little speckled trout,"-New York Press.

Why Hazors Get Tired.

"Do you know why we dip a razor in warm water before we begin shaving, and do you know why some ignorant men say a razon is 'tired?' " ed the barber. "Well, this is all due to the fact that a razor is a saw, not a knife, and it works like a saw, not like a knife. Examined under the microscope its edge, that looks so smooth to the naked eye, is seen to have innumerable and fine saw teeth. When these teeth get clogged with dirt all the honing and strapping in the world will do no good-the razor is dull and nothing will sharpen it. Then is the time the ignorant say it is 'tired' and stop using it, but the wise know it is only cloggest.

"The wise, though, don't suffer their razors to get clogged. They din them in warm water before they use them, and thus the teeth are kept clean. It is because a razor is a saw that lather doesn't soften the beard, as so many people think. It stiffens it, so that it will present a firm and resisting surface to the razor."-Philadelphia Record.

One Oculist's 'Advice.

"So you have been trying to doctor your own eyes," remarked the oculist as the patient removed the bandage, displaying an aggravated case of conjunctivitis. "In many cases you can cure yourself, but if you don't know what treatments to avoid you are linble to do yourself injury. Old house-wife remedies are all right in their place, but I would advise you not to use tea leaves. They often give relief, but they bring on other complications. In fact, the 'tea leaf eye' is well known to the profession. The lid is pully, finbby and difeless. If you wish to reduce the inflammation in your eyes use hot water with a cloth. That is enough. Yes; you may add salt if you wish, but it is not necessary in most cases. Salt is merely an antiscritic and has no other virtue for eye lottons." - New York Press.

Alt Brunked Off.

A lady called at a chemist's shop then, after examining one or two articles, remembered that she wanted some cosmetic for the tollet and turning to the chemist, asked, "Have you any bloom of youth?"

The merchant, over whose head more than fifty summers had passed, turned to one of his assistants and asked in a business way, "Have I any bloom of youth left?"

The clerk looked up with a quiet smile and answered, "I believe not, sir."-London Globe.

English injuntice.

An Australian tourist traveling in the west of Ireland asked an old woman how far it was to the nearest town. She sadly looked at him, then sighed and said:

"It was five nice triles two years ago, but some English brute came over with chains and made it seven, and our hearts are broke walking it

ever since, bad luck to them!" And she disappeared into the house, leaving him there.-Hlustrated Bits.

The More Difficult Part.

The actor," said Roscius, "should always forget that he has an audience. He should immerse his soul in his

"That's all very pretty," interrupted Horatio Tiewalker. "It isn't haif so much trouble to forget that he has an audience as to forget that he hasn't one."--Judge.

In and Out. First Officer-Yes, we were marching over a plank bridge when it gave way,

and the men fell in. Second Officer-And what did you

First Officer_Oh. 1 ordered them to fall out-Illustrated Bits.

Calucky. "Yes, since Mrs. Gotrox broke a mir-

for yesterday she is convinced that it is very unlucky." "How superstitious!"

"Not at all. It was a French plate mirror and cost \$400." - Baltimore

What He Preferred.

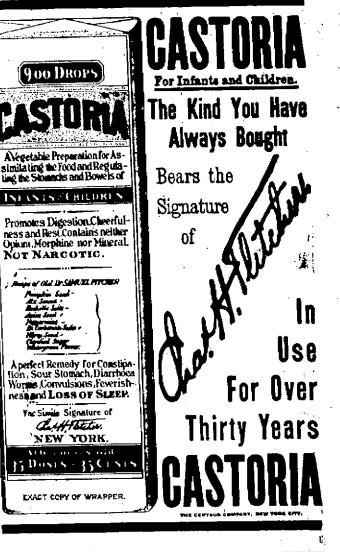
Magistrate-And 1 understand that you prefer charges against this man. Grocer-No, your worship; I prefer cash, and that's what I brought him bere for.-London Tit-Bits.

Before employing a fine word find a place for it - Joulet.

"What prevents the ocean from overflowing the land?" asked the

teacher.
It's tied," came a shrill voice from the tail end of the class.—Philadelphia Record.

"What did you steal that cradle for? "Oh, just for a kid," replied the pris-oner, who was lost to all sense of shame.—Cheage News.



Those persons who do not need from, but who are troubled with Nervousnessand Dyspepsia, will find in Curier's Little Nature Pills a most desirable article. They are mostly used in combination with Carter's Little Liver Pills, and in this way often exert a most magnetic pilete. Take pust one pith of each kind immediately after eating and you will be free from Lindigestion and Dyspepsia. In vinis at 25 cynts. Try them.

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A mun is at his best, when ho is attending to his own business.—Dalius News.

No man who needs a monument ever rought to have one.—Hawthorne.

"What kind of furniture is a weather bureau?" asked the young man with wide cars.
And the sad-eyed boarder answered "I should infer that it is a sort of refrigerator."—Washington Star.

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Too much cannot be said upon the aring of silk and woolen waists after being worn. When removed they should be carefully brushed and mended, if there are any little repairs to be made, and then heng over a waist inanger or the back of a chair near ac open window, with the wrong side out. For this, futily waists, or those of handsome silk or saith, it is an excellent plan to stuff the sleeves with white tissue maper and nut the garment away sue paper and put the garment away on a natiger.

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OUERIES.

4152. WHITE—Thomas White, born October 31, 1728, died August 25, 1771, married October 23, 1755, Sarah Norton, born April 23, 1738. She is said to have come from South Carolina to Newport, to stay with an aunt, whose name I do not know. Their children were:

1. Elizabeth, born August 18, 1756.

2. John Davis White, born November 5, 1757.

ber 5, 1757.
3. Thomas White, born February 4, 1760, died October 27, 1821, married June 20, 1785, Elizabeth Gladding, who died October 31, 1856, aged 62 years, 6

months.

4. Isaac Man White, born April 9, 1762, supposed to have been lost at sea.

5. Sarah White, born Jan. 5, 1764, married Benjamin Balley, died October

6, 1790. 6. Dorcas White, born Ap. 9, 1766,

6. Dores Wille, born Nov. 24, 1767, died June 9, 1768, 7. Doress White, born Nov. 24, 1767, married Daniel Whitney. He died Jan. 16, 1800. She died April 1, 1796. He was born 1768. Lost at sea. 8, William Scott White, died in Boston about 1850. Married Busan Cobb.

Cobb.
Would like very much to learn the parentage of above Thomas White. A Thomas White, son of Eleazar and Mary (Doggett) White, was born in Marschield in 1728. Could he be the marsoneid in 1728. Could be be the Thomas whose birth is given in the family Bible as 1728. I have not found the marriage record of Thomas, son of Eleazar. Can anyone give it to me?— E. M. T.

4153. ARNOLD—What were the dates of birth, marriage and death of Eleanor Whipple, who married Noah Arnold, of Glorester, R. I.? Would also like to know the dates of his birth and death.—D. H. R.

4154. SHEFFIELD—Who were the parents of Elizabeth, wife of Benjamin Sheffield, of Jamestown, R. I.? He was born June 13, 1691. When were they married?—S. H.

4155. BRIGGS—Who was Sarah Briggs, born 1720, wife of Edward Padelford, probably of Pennsylvania. When did she die? Would like any information concerning her ancestry.

4155. MACOMBER—Who were the aucestors of Elijab Macomber, whose daughter Elizabeth, married Philip Padeford, son of above Edward and Sarah. Elizabeth was born 1756, died 1849—D. J.

4157. SHERMAN: BRIGOS—Who were the parents of Darlus Sherman and Loraine Briggs, married November 24, 1822, in Providence, R. I.?—E. M. T.

4158. GARDINER—James Gardiner, of Newport, R. I., son of Amos, of South Klugstown, R. I., deeded to his brother Amos of South Klugstown, August 19, 1802. Sarsh, wife James, agned the deed in Newport, Sept. 13, 1902. Who was this Saran? Did they have children? If so, who were they? It is said that James died in 1922. Can any one give the exact date with Can any one give the exact date with authority?—E. M. T.

4169. SAHIN-Who were the ancestors of James Sabin and Phebe Hammond, who were married in Providence, R. I., Jan. 27, 17657-A. M. S.

4160. GRAVES-Who were the pa-4160. GRAVES—Who were the parents of Dorothy Graves, of Little Compton, R. I., born 1684, died November 26, 1771. She married William Bailey, of Little Compton, R. I., Jan. 20, 1772.

4161. Constock—Who was the wife of John Comstock, of Providence, R. I., who had a son Samuel, born 1715?—A.

4152. Howell.—Can any one give me the ancestry of Aaron Howell, of Moristown, N. J., who married Sarah.

— I have no dates of birth, martiage and death. Would be glad to have them supplied.—J. B.

4163. TINKHAM—Who was the wife of John Thikham, of Middlebore, Mass, whose son Abishal, born May 23, 1727, died March 7, 1811, married Han-nah Benson, of Caleb.—J. B.

4161. THAVES. KEITH-James Keith, of James, of Mendon, Mass., married 1695, Mary Thayer. Would be glad to learn anything concerning her family, the dates of her birth and death, etc.—T. W.

4165. WILLIAMS—Who can give me the date of death of Sally Williams, daughter of Jeremiah and Abigail, born in Providence, R. 1.--J. W.

4166. COOPER—Tase Cooper, butti-1608 in England, came to Dorchester June 9, 1634, and to Windsor 1635, died after 1697, probably at Newport or Westerly, R. I. Children: 1. Naomi, born Nov. 18, 1637, at Wettersfield, Conn., died Nov. 28, 1637.

1637. 2. Naomi, born Oct. 19, 1038, at Wethersfield, died May 5, 1643, at

Springfield.
3. Ruth, bern Jan. 11, 1640, at Springfield, died at Westerty about 1691; nd. Nov. 2, 1655, Robert Burdick, who died 1682. What was his ances-

try?
4: Rachel, born March 10, 1642, married Nov. 3, 1658, Andrew Lang-

worthy.
5. Samuel, born March 25, 1644,

6. Bethiah, born Dec. 19, 1646, at Springfield, died at Westerly, April 17, 1707; married Joseph Clarke, Jr. Would like a list of their children.

7. Samuel, born 1849, died Jan. 20, 1676-1, at Newport, R. I. Would like aug additional informatlon.-X. Y.

ANSWERS.

3083. Hrx-Comfort Hix who mer-ried Philip Cerey was of Dartmouth. I do not have parentage,—W. M. R.

4131. SPINK--MIS Kate L. McWilliams, Wooster, Ohio, is quite familiar with the records of the Spink family and may be able to answer the query, -1. B. F.

4146. MITCHELL.—The children of Richard Mitchell of James and Anne, Middletown, R. I., and Joanna Lawton, of John and Sarah, of Portamouth, R. I., married Nov. 8 (67), 1776, were: Jethro Friger, b. 3, 14, 1773, m., Anne Gould, of Daniel and Mary, 9, 25, 1790, d. 1, 5, 1851.

18aac, b. 5, 21, 1770.

John, b. 1, 15, 1781, m. Catherine Gould, of Daniel and Mary, d. when 72 years old.

years old. Elizabeth, b. 10, 17, 1782, m. Asa Sherman, of Sampson and Ruth, d. 12, 90, 1232

Sherman, of Sampson and Ruth, d. 12, 29, 1863.
Peter, b. 7, 3, 1781, m. Mary, dau. of Dr. Thatcher Wales, 8, 21, 1806.
Sarah, b. 5, 10, 1787, d. at age of seventeen.
Joanna, b. 12, 3, 1788, m. Dayld Rodman, of Clark and Abigail.
Anne, b. 8, 6, 1791
Richard, b. 2, 20, 1793, m. Lydia Mitchell, of Peleg and Lydia or Love.

—J. S. R.

Funeral services for the late E. Alton Coggeshall, who died very suddenly at his home in this town on Friday morning of last week, were held at his late residence on the East Main road on Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. Sturgis Pearce of St. Paul's Church officiating. The attendance was very large and the floral tributes were very numerous and leautiful. Music was furnished by a special quartet consisting of Rev. E. H. Macy, Mr. John L. Simmons, Mrs. Warren R. Sberman and Mrs. Charles Grinnell, The bearers were Messrs. Robert Patterson, George Calvert, Geo. A. Brown, Lewis R. Manchester, Charles B. Harrington and David S. Caswell. The interment was in the Middletown cemetery. Middletown cemetery.

David Brownell, Jr., a native of this town, died at his home at North Dartmouth, Mass., on Thursday of last week, in his \$2d year.

Mrs. David B. Authony is ill at her

The electric cars have not been run-ning the past week on scheduled time, owing to the work on the road of re-pairing the tracks.

The Portamonth Park owners have put up a large windmill and tank and are laying pipes for a water supply for the coltagers of the park.

Mr. William Sherman and wife, who have been living in Colorado, are visiting relatives in Portsmouth. They will return to Colorado in September. Mr. Sherman is a son of Mr. William M. Sherman of this city.

Mr. Walter H. Tallman is seriously ili with typhoid fever.

The Portsmouth Christian Church held its annual clambake at South-wick's Grove Wednesday. The bake was a decided success and the patronage was large.

Closed cars will be run on the island road hereafter on stormy days by order of the town council.

Jamestown-

Captain Wilton C. Hall is able to be out after his severe illness.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Mary Sherman Clarke, daughter of Mr. Thomas H. Clarke, to Mr. J. E. Hammond.

The Jamestown Golf and Country Club held its second annual fair at the grounds of the club Tuesday afternoon. Booths and tents were erected on the grounds and presented a very attractive sight. There was a large crowd of people present to patronize the various booths and a goodly sum was netted. The Jamestown Brass Band furnished music during the afternoon. A vandemusic during the afternoon. A vaude-ville performance was held at the Cssino in the evening.

Miss Lily Wright, who was injured in a nunway accident, at Newport on Mouday, is reported to be as comforta-ble as could be expected. It is hoped that she will be a blot to be out before that she will be able to be out before many days.

Conanicut Yacht Club.

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House Committee-G. D. Eustis, Francis Donaldson. Race Committee-Samuel Wetherill, M. Waltralge, W. Kimber.

Jiverton.

There were 16 members at the meeting of the Nonquit grange Wednesday evening. The subject for the evening a discussion, "Is the introduction of machinery beneficial to mankind?" decided in the affirmative.

Mr. and Mrs. Jenney of New Bedford are visiting Mrs. Abram Cottrell.

About 50 members of the South End Council, Kulghts of Columbus, and the daughters of Isabella, were entertained Thursday at the Stone Bridge cottage with a claurbake and other social feati ities.

Mrs. Charles E. Mahern of Williman-tle, Coun., is visiting her parents, John T. Cook and wife.

S. S. Getchell and family of Woonsocket, R. L., are at their cottage at Seaconnet Point.

W. B. M. Chose has a cottage at Sea-connet Point for the season. Nathaniel B. Church, Jr., is camp-

ing out at Hancock, Me. Mrs. John A. Hathaway is spending two weeks with friends at Plymouth. Mr. Riddell leaves this week on a

European trip, and will make his head-quarters in Rome.

Miss Daisy Manchester is visiting relatives at Plainville. A carload of cows was received by

Mr. Henry Clay Osborn on Tuesday from New Hampshire.

George R. Lawton and William L. Frost are both candidates for re-election as Scuator and Representative this fail, Contractor McCormick has com-

Cold Facts.

A refrigerator is the most important piece of furniture in your bouse during the summer months. Your appetite, your health, your comfort, all depend on it. Try doing without one a few hat days, if you don't think it; soft butter, soft fruit, turned milk and the like don't sound very good do thou? fixed.

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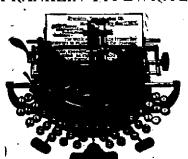
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menced work on the State road. The menced work on the State road. The work of grading the road before putting on the crushed stone is in progress and the crusher has been located near John Hick's residence.

Bids issued by the town council for the construction of one mile of stone road will be awarded Sept. 5.

Remnnerative Parishioner—The Rector—Ha! There goes Mrs. Fanciman. She is one of my best parishioners. The Bishop—Devoted to church work, I presume?

"Not so much that, but I derive quite a respectable income in fees for marrying her."—Modern Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall of this . city are spending a few days in New York.

EXECUTORS NOTICE

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED hereby give notice that by the will of their father, NOEL, COGGESHALL, late of Middletown, R. L., deceased, they are appointed the Executors thereof; that said will have been proved, approved, allowed and passed for record by the Court of Probate of said Middletown; fliat they have been granted letters testamentary on the estate of said Noel Coggeshall by said Court of Probate and are now duly qualified to set as the Executors of his said will. All persons having claims against the saids of said Noel Coggeshall, are hereby notified to persent them to the understance, or file the same in the office of the Clerk of said Court, within six months from the date hereof, and those indebted to said estate will make payment to the undersigned.

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THE SUBSTRIBER has teen appointed and legally subforded to and legally subforded to act as administrator on the estate of JOSEPH ROUNDES, alte of Tuy trong R L, deceased, and herby represts all persons having claims against additional to present them, and all persons indebted in said estate to make popment to JOSEPH T, COOK, S. Administrator.

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ARE REREBY NOTIFIED that by AHE HEREBY NOTIFIED that by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgago Deed, given by Felix Owens unit Maria Owens, husband and wife, both of Flverton, in the County of Newport, It. L., to John W. Earle of Digiton, in the Commonweith of Massachusetts, dated February 6th, A. D. 1894, recorded in Tiverton; B. I. Deeds, Book 87, pages 515-519, and for breach of the conditions thereof and to forcelose suid Mortgage, will be sold by public auction, on the prebaless, on

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TUESDAY, September 8, 1993, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the lot described in said Mortgage Deed, bounded and described as follows:
Sald lot is situated in the Town of Tiverton aforesaid, and is thus bounded:
Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the lot to be described, thence running westerly, 18 ft; thence northerly, 00 50-100 ft.; thence easterly, 11 60-100 ft., to Shove Streel; thence southerly, 19 said Shove Streel; thence southerly, by said Shove Streel; and the southerly by said Shove Streel; thence southerly, by said Shove Streel; and he southerly by said Shove Streel; thence southerly 21 83-100 square rods land, more or less. And being lot No. 17, to Section is, our plan of land surveyed by Beijanuth G. Morden for the Shove Mills, now on the in the Town Clerk's Office, for said Town of Tiverton, to which plan reference is hereby had for a full description of said premises.

Said premises will be sold subject to all taxes. Terms at sale.

Sold the said premises.

State of Rhode Island.

STATEMENT OF UNCLAIMED DEPOSITS in the Sav-ings Bank of Newport, R. I., made to the State Anditor, June Si, 1938, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 53 of the Public Laws, passed March 29, 1901, entitled "An Act in amendment of Chapter 178 of the General Laws, 'Of Returns of Banks and Institutions for Savings."

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Mary S. Dunn,
John Head,
Josephine Jackson,
Dayid Stannan for heirs of
Folly Auetin,
George Weaver,
Adoline A. Read,
Benjamin Hazard,
James Hizard, Jr.,
John Jose Sylvia,
John Getz,
Sarah E. Sloddard,
Johan August Schmidt, Johan August Schmidt, Patrick Buckley, Thomas Devine, Partick Buckley,
Thomas Bevine,
John H. Brown,
Michnel Ryan,
Eliza G. Manchester,
Elizabeth L. Anthony,
Susannah B. Grinnell,
Mary E. Jones,
Mumford P. Barker,
David H. Jackson,
Henrietta A. Mars,
John H. Glyser,
Tamar Bennett,
Ferdinand S. Ried,
George Hathaway,
Amanda B. Wilcox,
Josephine A. Barker,
William Edwards,
William Edwards,
William Edwards,
William Edwards,
Treasurer.

State of Rhode Island, **STATEMENT**

OF UNCLAIMED DEPOSITS in the Island Savings Bank of Newport, R. L., made to the State Auditor, June 20, 1908, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 551 of the Public Laws, passed March 20, 1901, entitled "An extra namendment of Chapter 179 of the General Laws, '90' litturns of Banks and Institutions for Savings,' "

LAST KNOWN RESI-

s, of littering of Grands and Managery Savings."

Last known resiNAME. INSTEED B. TO ADDRESS
Abby B. Almy, New Shoreham, R. I.
Mary Pane (coiord), Newport, R. I.
Henjamin S. Cook), Newport, R. I.
Frank B. White.

ISLAND SAVINGS BANK,
GEORGE H. PR. UD,
18-6w

Treasurer.

Coddington Savings Bank.

COGGINGTOR SAVINGS BANK.

NEWFORT, R. I., July 9, BOS.

NAMES OF DEPOSITIONS whose place of residence of postoffice address, or the fact of their death is not known and whose accounts have had no deposit made thereon, or any amount withdrawn therefrom and whose accounts have had no deep presented for twenty years or more previous to June 30, 1905.

Thomas Anthony.
Alethne Ash.
June Allan.
Mantice P. Harber.
Carrie A. Barlow.
Elizateth Barler.
Kate Collins.
Mary A. Lottins.
Patrick Curley.
John Half.
John Harris.
Charlet M. Jackson.
Elia C. Jawton.
Swin J. M. Manchester.
John Mitchell.
Mary A. Smith.
Waller L. Swith.
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View. W. Taylor.

7-11-6w Treasurer.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF RIGODE BLAND AND PROV. IDENCE PLANTATIONS.

Newport, Sc. 8HERRY'S OFFICE, Newport, May Sist, A. D. 1982.

BY VIETUE and in pursuance of an Execution, Number 334, Isoued out of the Appethate Division of the Supreme Court of Rhode Island within and for the County of Reveron, on the thirteenth day of May, A. D. 1893, in after of Pauline I. Out on the eleventh day of May, A. D. 1993, in favor of Pauline I. Curley, of Newport in the County of Newport and State of Rhode Island, plain, till, and against Jones Coyle, Executor, et al., defendants, I have this day at 15 intimities past to clock A. Mg., tevted the said Execution, the said of the control of the death had to a create which theory is labelly in the said in a create which theory is labelly in the said in a create which theory is labelly parcels of land, and in the right, title and interest which Sammy described parcels of land, and in the right, title and interest which Sammy described parcels of land, and in the right, title and interest which Sammy described parcels of land, and in the right, title and interest which Sammy described parcels of land with all the buildings and improvements therepon, situated in said City of Newport, in said County of Newport, in the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, namely:

1. A certain tot or saved of land with the buildings and improvementatiercon standing, stusted in said. Newport and bounded as follows: Northerly, on Samd of the Old Chony Helicoad Company, on Samd of the Old Chony Helicoad Company, on Samd of the Old Chony Helicoad Company, on Sand elements (100) feet, savetyly, on Jand of the Old Chony Helicoad Company, on Sand the same of the Sammy of

Revidence of said new point.

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Notice is hereby given that I will sell the said levied on lots or parcels of land at a fluible Ametion to be held in the Sherin's Ofneen said City of Newport in said County of Newport, on the said way of August, A: D. 1902, at 12 o'clock nown, for the sails faction of said execution, debt, interest on the same, costs of sull, my own frees and all contingent expenses, if smitceln.

BUGH N. GIFFORD,

Sl-4w Deputy Sheriir.

Sheriff's Sale.

Newfort, Sc. Sherher's Office, Nowport, May 25th, A. D. 1993.

By Virrule and In pursuance of Re Execution, Number 252, said of the District Court of the First Lindight District Of Now-1993, and returnable to the Said Court Algorith within and for the County of Newfort, on the Thirteenth day of May A. D. 1993, and returnable to the said Court August B.A. D. 1993, and returnable to the said Court August B.A. D. 1993, and returnable to the Said Court August B.A. D. 1993, and returnable to the City and County of Providence in Said State plaining, and against Waldo H. Stearns, alias John Doe, Commorant of Jamestown in Said County defendant, I have this day at 40 timetes past 110-clock A. M. levied the said Execution on all the right, little and interest, which the said sendant at the lime of this levy, had In and to a certain lot, or parcel of Jam with said the bullings, and improvements thereupon, situated in the town of Jamestown in Said County of Newport, in the State of Rhode Island and Providence "Pintations, and bounded; That certain lot or parcel of land situated in that part of the Town of Jamestown in the State of Rhode Island known as Conanicut Park and bounded Northerly, on Bay View Piace and a line in continuance of the easterly boundary line of said Conanicat Park made bounded Northerly, on Bay View Piace and a line in continuance of the easterly boundary line of said Conanicat Park made on the form of Said Conanicat Park made of the Mollin and on the In the office of the Town Clerk of said Jamestown, together with the dwelling house and other hulldings and line provenents on said to. Also one other certain lot or strip of fand shuated in said Jamestown at said Conanical Park, bounded Northwesterly, by Narmaganett Bay; Easterly, by land of the United States Government; Southersterly by Ray View Direc aforesaid, southerly, by a line of said Said grante and his wife, Mary Ella Jernagan. Conveying said premises to one George A. Eastman as appears of record in the land Evidence of said Jamestown. Said perm

Notice is bereby given that I will sell the said levicition estate at a Public Auction to be held in the Sheriff's Office, in said City of Newport in said County of Newport on the stock day of August, A. D. 1903, at 120 clock noon, for the suit-finction of said execution, debt, interest on the same, costs of suit, my own fees and all contingent expenses, if sufficient.

JAMES ANTHONY, Stein.

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